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MEN OF TOLEDO

(AND THEIR NEIGHBORS)

Presented in Cartoon

With a Historical Preface

From "Official" Data

BY

R. M. BRINKERHOFF

Cartoonist of the Toledo Blade

Ohio's Greatest Family Newspaper.

PREPARATORY

BEFORE settling down to the keen enjoyment, the rapturous delight that the following pages are bound to produce in the breasts of all who behold them, it might be well, perhaps, to indulge in a bit of preliminary reflection of a somewhat serious nature.

It is no light and trivial thing to undertake to hand down to a forgetful posterity the features and characteristics of our friends and business associates of to-day.

The present generation might, perchance, raise serious objections, and the future Toledoans might resent the liberties taken with their forbears.

However, Brink has seen fit to take the chances, hence this valuable, instructive and diverting volume, containing a lesson on every page, and forming, in its entirety, the most valuable contribution ever made to the financial, material and moral history of Toledo and Northwestern Ohio.

Nothing but Brink's sublime confidence in himself and his art—strengthened, mayhap, by some trifling pecuniary considerations that were actually forced upon him—made this monumental work possible. Brink knew himself and he knew his subjects—victims might, by purists, be deemed the better word—and so, ruthlessly casting aside that rare and gentle modesty, which alone prevents him from subjugating the whole WORLD of ART, he plunged into the Titanic undertaking with all his youthful fervor and temperamental zeal.

No one, no living soul, save, perhaps, a loving, patient, unselfish wife, meekly, but willingly, martyring herself for her husband's artistic triumph, no one else will ever know or even faintly realize the difficulty of his stupendous task. It is mighty hard to make a homely, ordinary, commonplace man look handsome, keen and intellectual. And, of course, not one of the prominent individuals who make up this book would have accepted his cartoon, unless it showed him as embodying all of these desirable attributes, making him truly a veritable captain of industry.

To his credit be it said, Brink never faltered. Sustained by a courage that excites one's highest admiration, he went on persistently, night and day, spilling gallons of ink that future generations yet unborn, might have a comprehensive idea of the appearance and character of the men who, early in the twentieth century, were busily engaged in the laudable occupation of making Toledo go.

Now that his arduous labor of love (to say nothing of the slight emoluments referred to above) is finished, he points with justifiable pride to a galaxy of men than whom there are none whose ability is greater, whose integrity is stronger, who have a deeper, more practical, more unselfish, or more loyal devotion to the great city for whose glories they are in so large a measure responsible.

ROBINSON LOCKE.

July 1, 1906.

Pre-Glacial and Glacial Man

First Epoch of Man in Ohio

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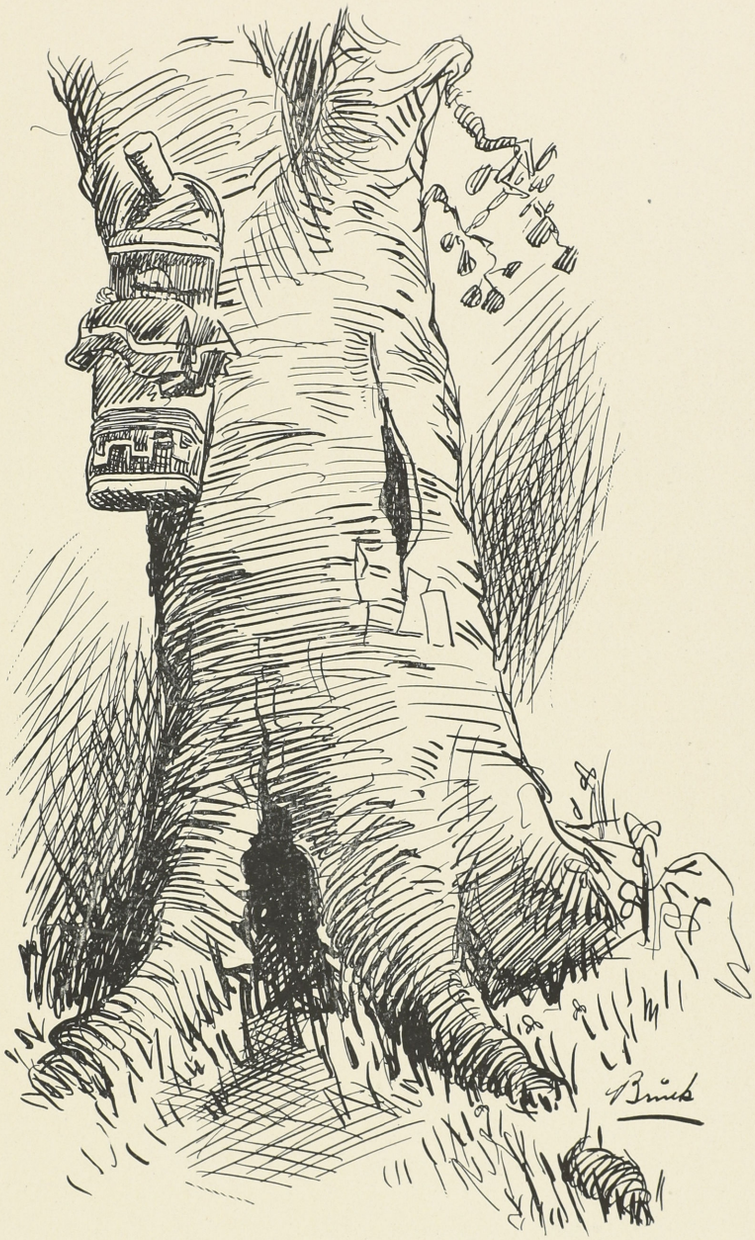
The Mound Builders

Second Epoch of Man in Ohio

B. C. 200.013



The American Indian

Third Epoch of Man in Ohio

A. D. 1023

Advent of the White Man

Fourth Epoch of Man in Ohio

Building First French Stockade

Or Trading Post at Fort Miami

A. D. 1690

Death of Turkey Foot

At Battle of Fallen Timbers

A. D. 1794

Erection of Fort Meigs

By Gen. Harrison

A. D. 1812

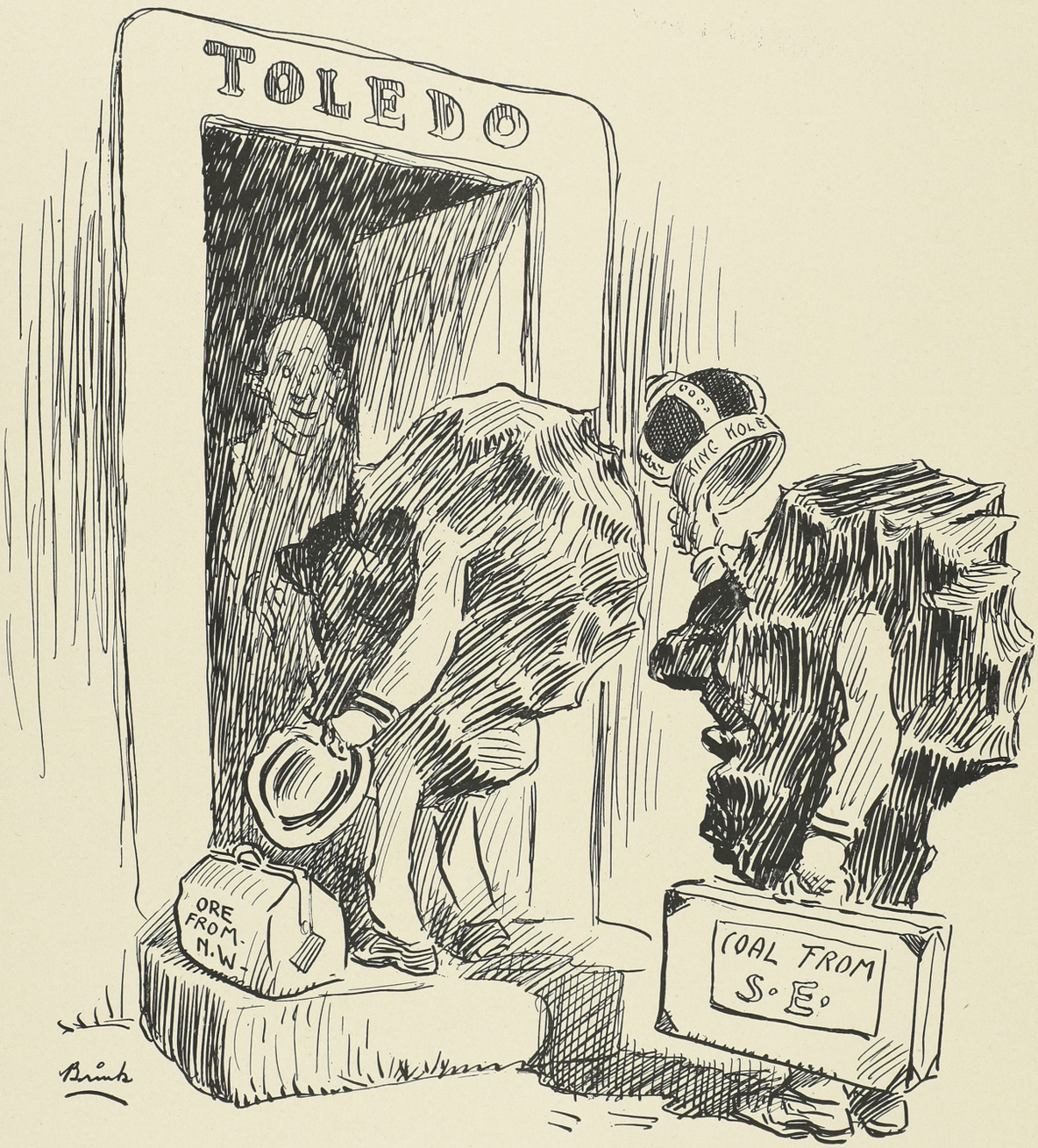
Perry's Victory in Lake Erie

Sept. 10. 1813

Fur "Trading" with the Indians

Old Canal Days on the Miami and Erie

The First Railroad in Ohio

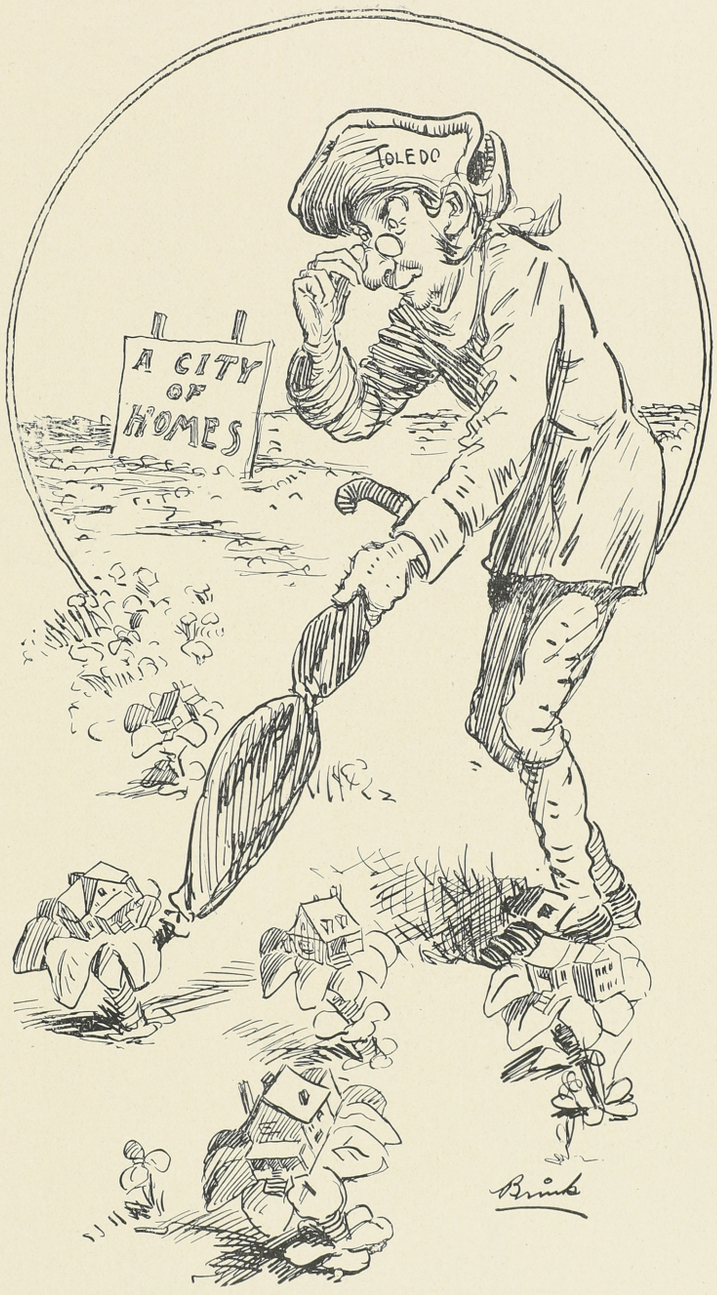


Toledo, Where Coal and Ore Meet

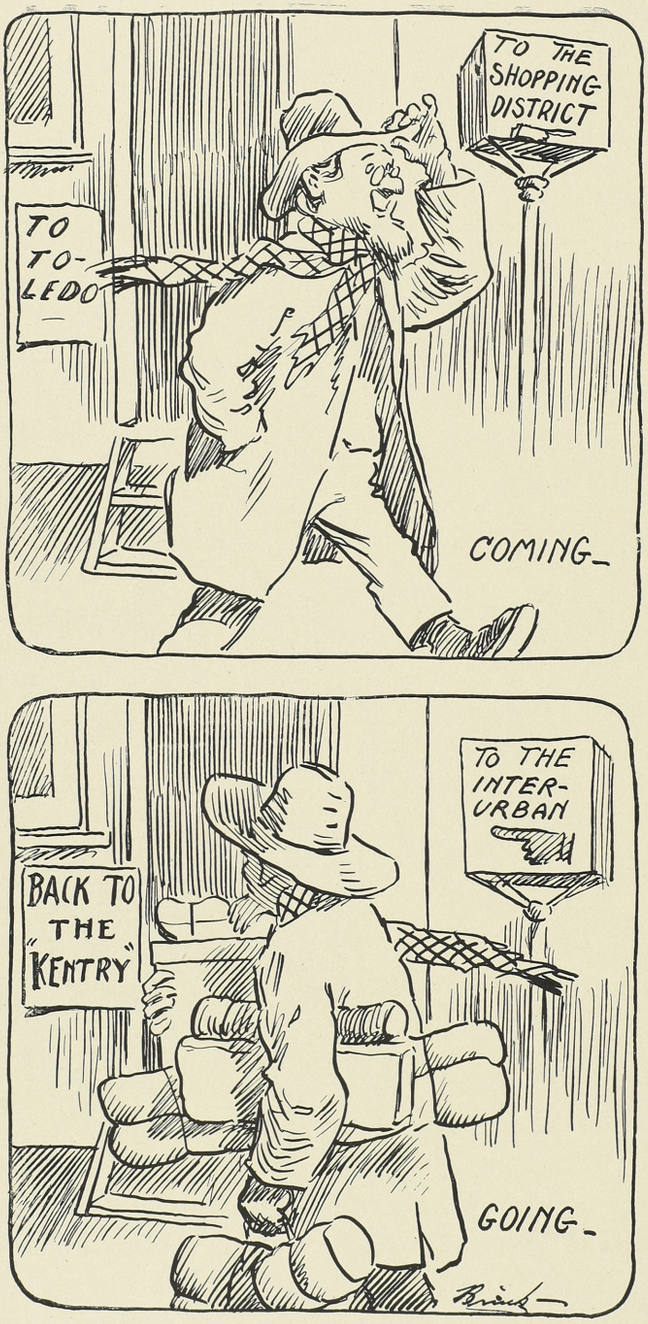
Toledo's Immense Dockage Facilities

Thirty Miles of Dockage

The Growing Banking Interests.

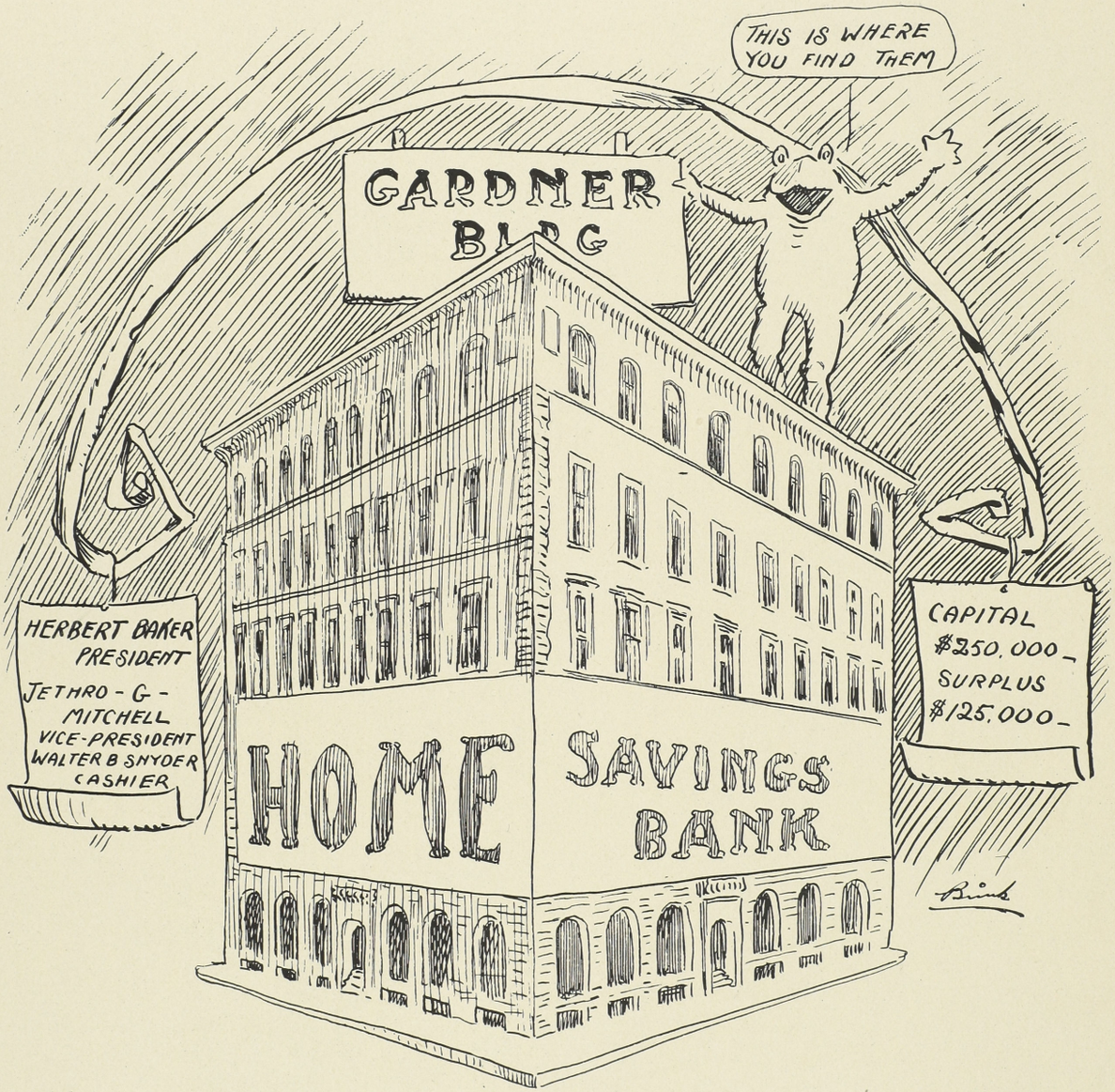


Toledo, the City of Homes



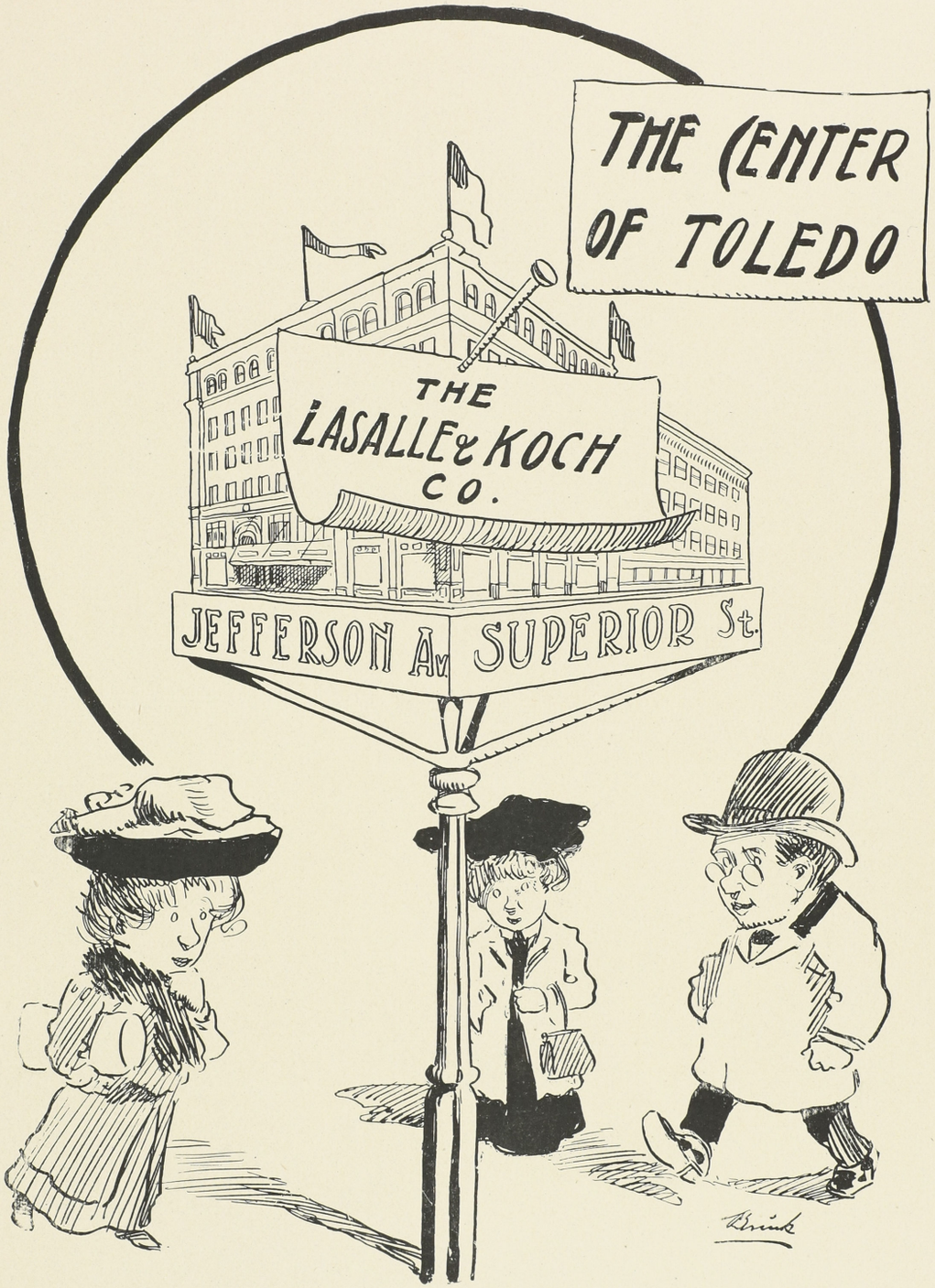
The Great Inter-Urban Service and Its Effects

The Skyscrapers are Far Famed



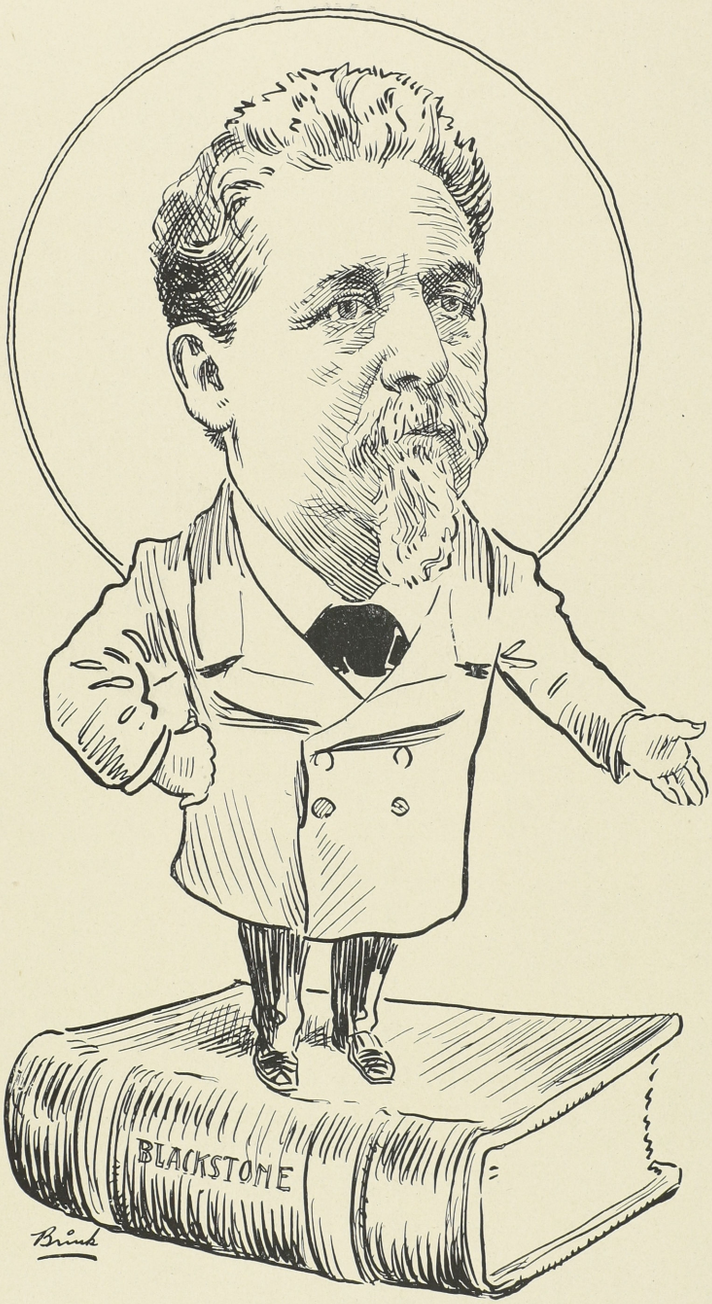
The Home Savings Bank Company

Walter B. Snyder, Cashier



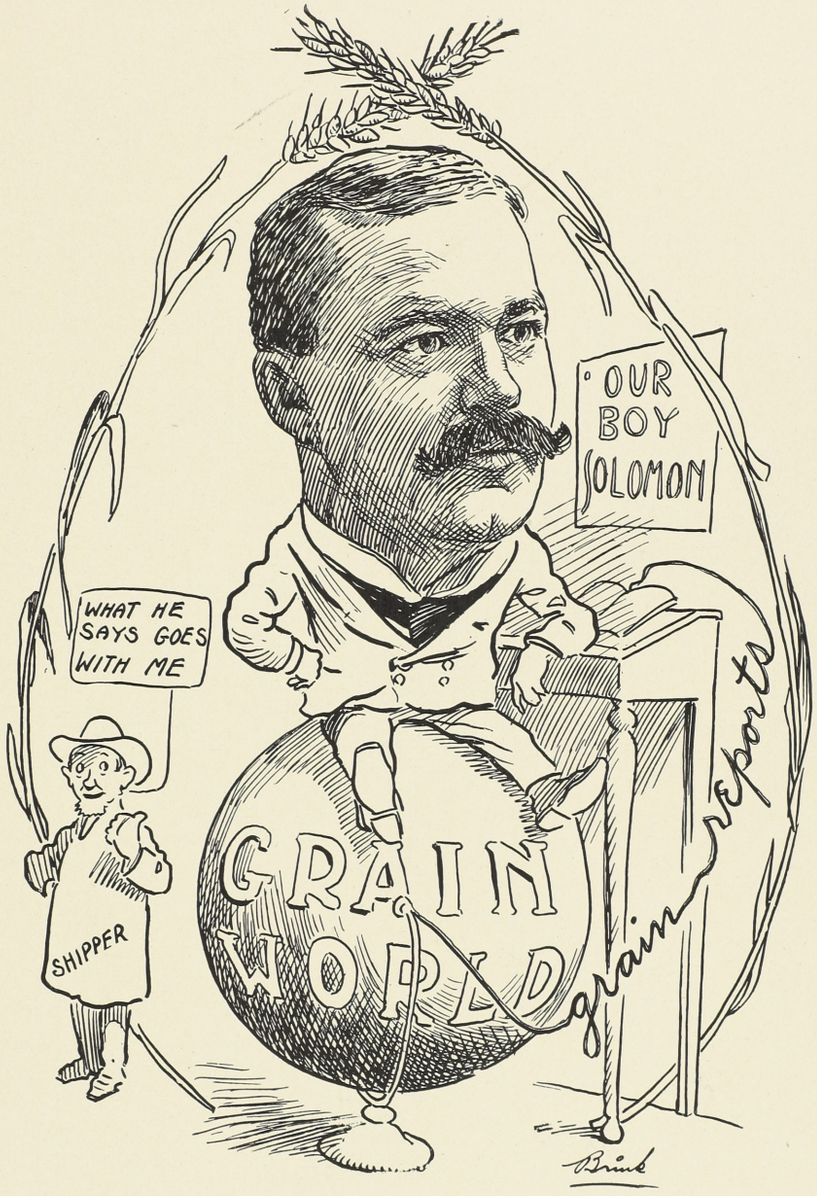
The Lasalle & Koch Company

Dry Goods.



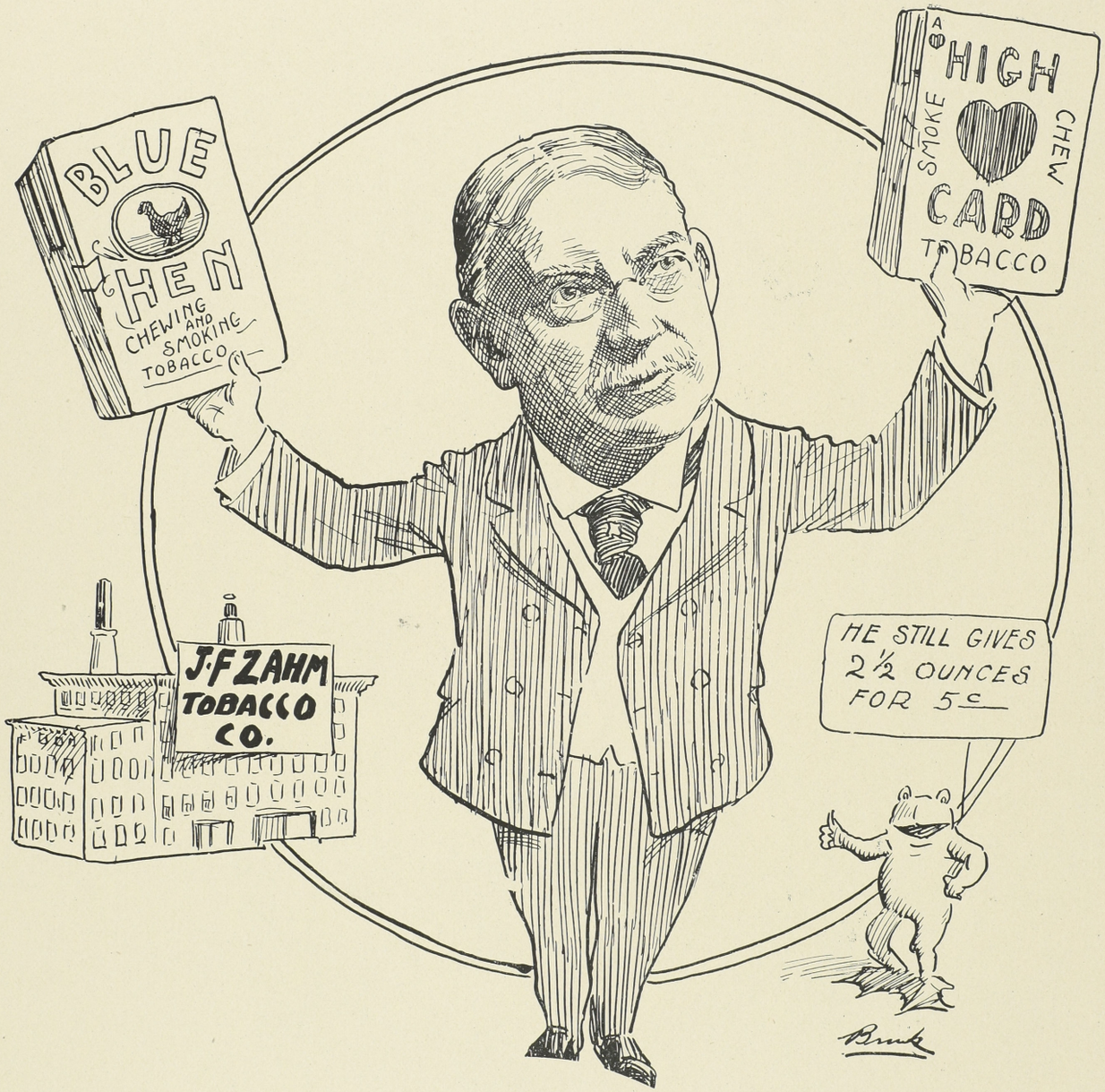
Hon. John H. Doyle

of Doyle & Lewis, Attorneys



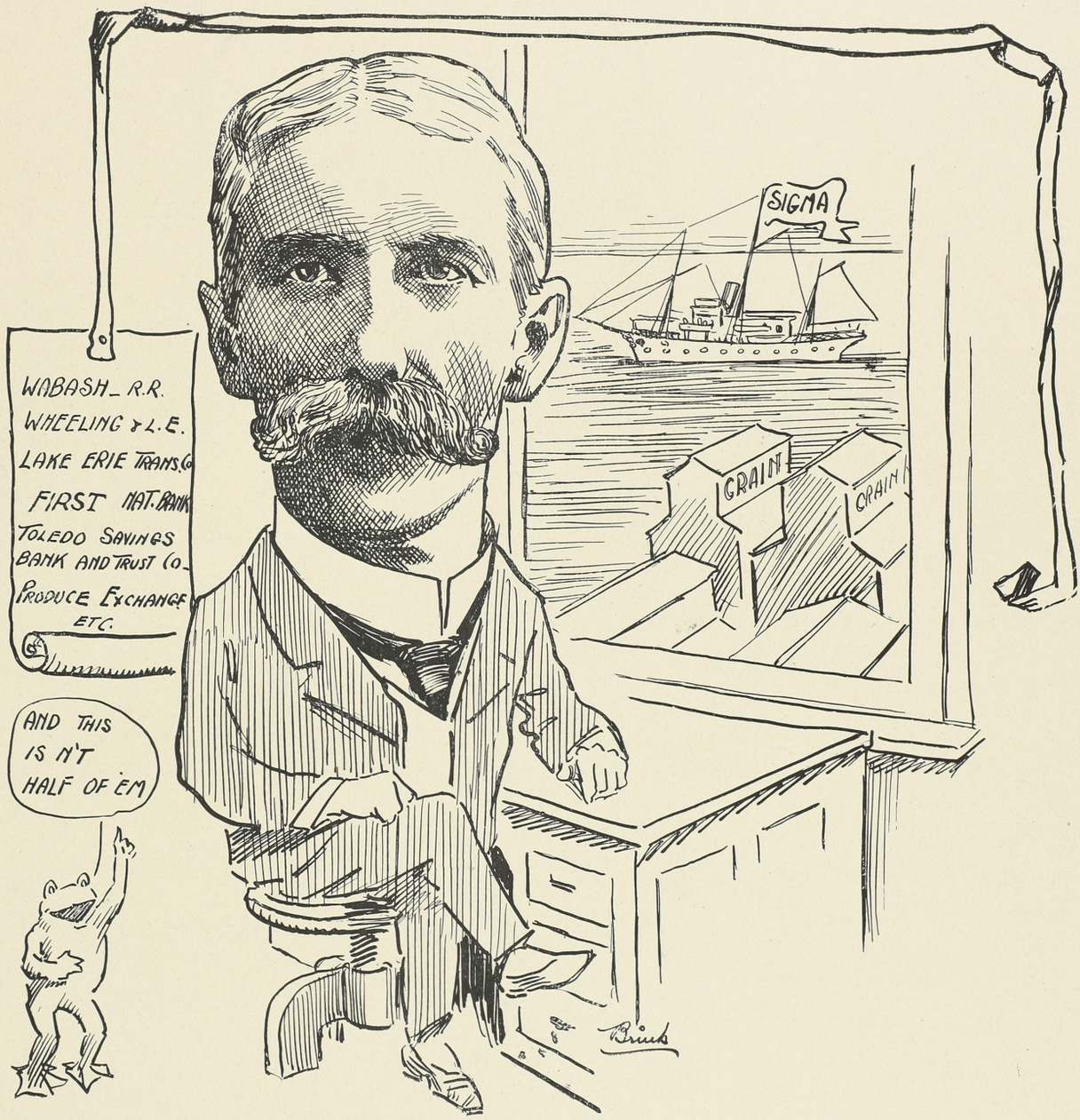
Frank I. King

of C. A. King & Co., Grain and Seed



J. F. Zahm

of Zahm & Co., Grain, and the J. F. Zahm Tobacco Co.

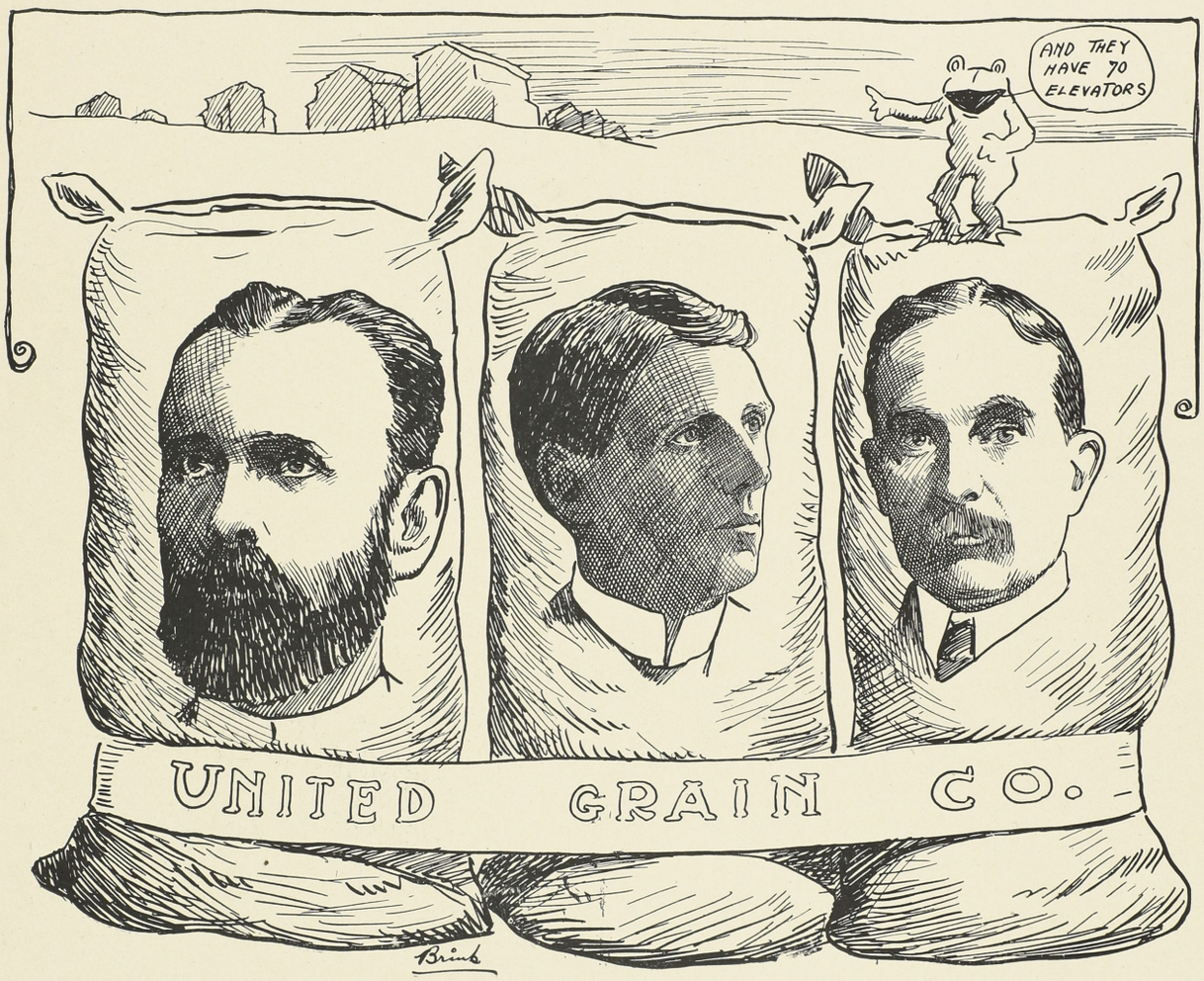


Col. S. C. Reynolds

of Reynolds Bros., Grain

Fred J. Reynolds

of Reynolds Bros , Grain.



F. O. Paddock, James Hodge, A. L. Mills

of The United Grain Co.

C. S. Burge

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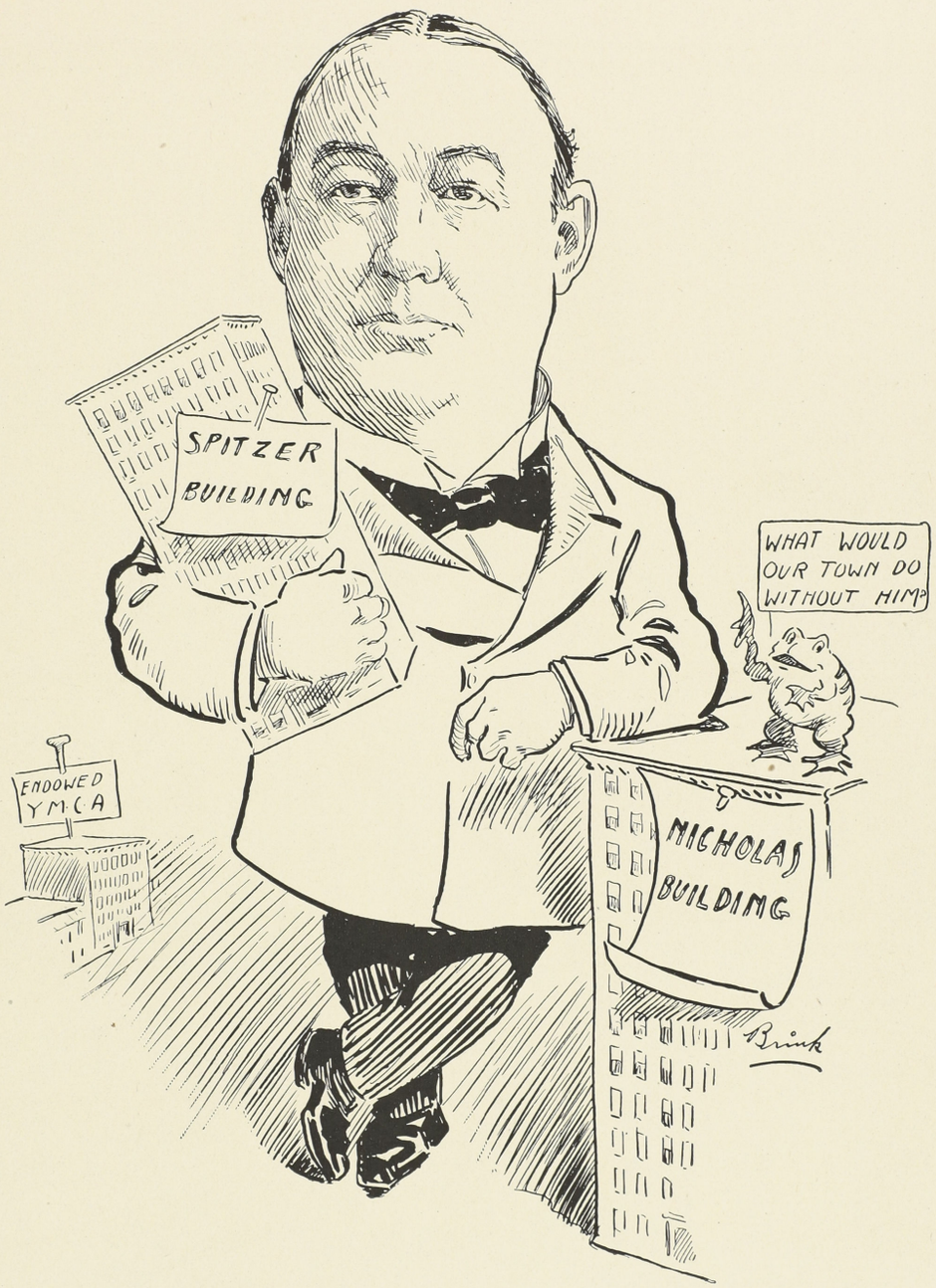


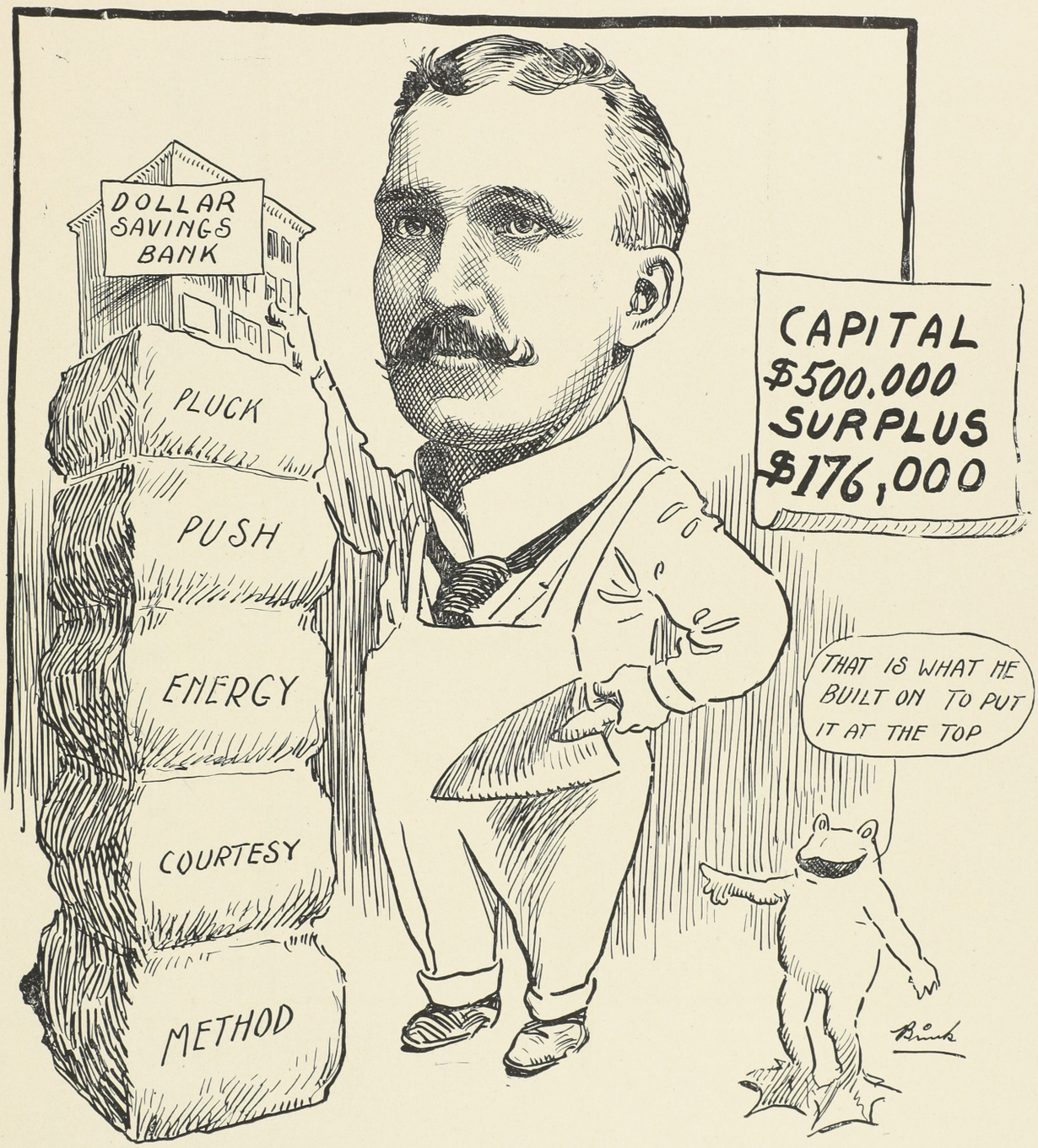
Gen'l. C. M. Spitzer

OF

Spitzer & Co., Bankers and Bond Dealers.

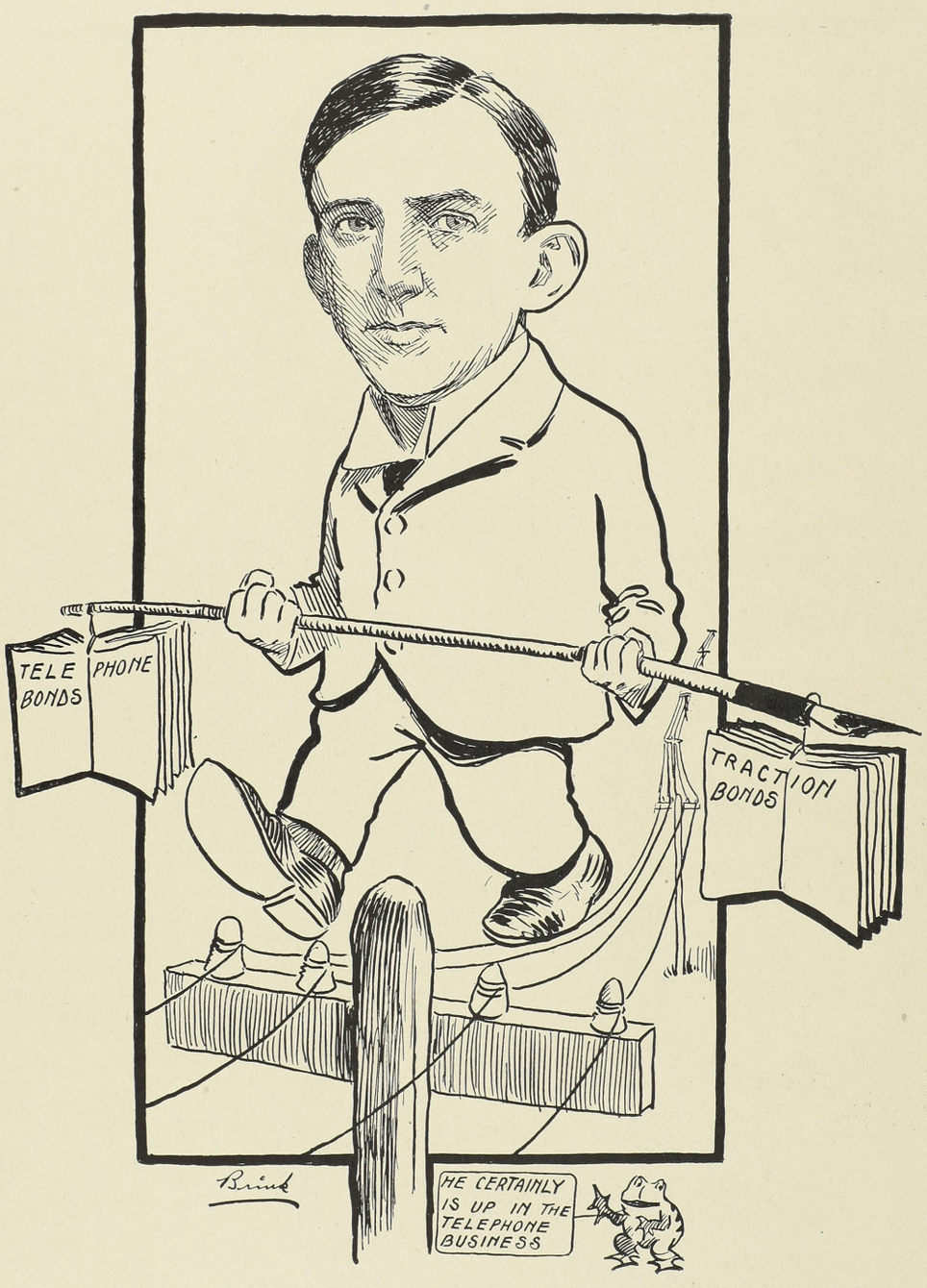
H. C. Rorick

of Spitzer & Co., Bankers and Bond Dealers.



Clark A. Browning

President The Dollar Savings Bank

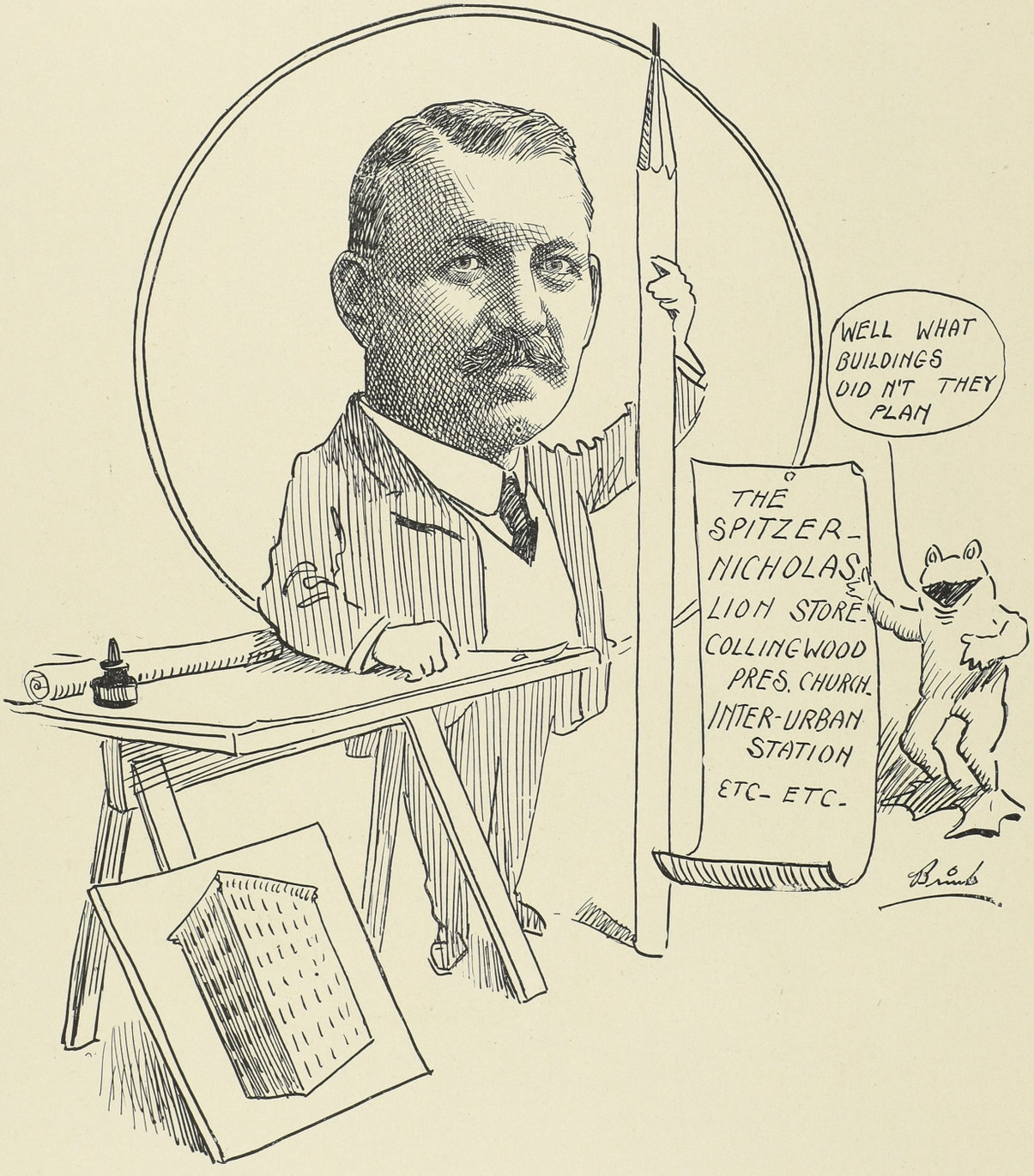


H. R. Ashbrook

Banker and Broker

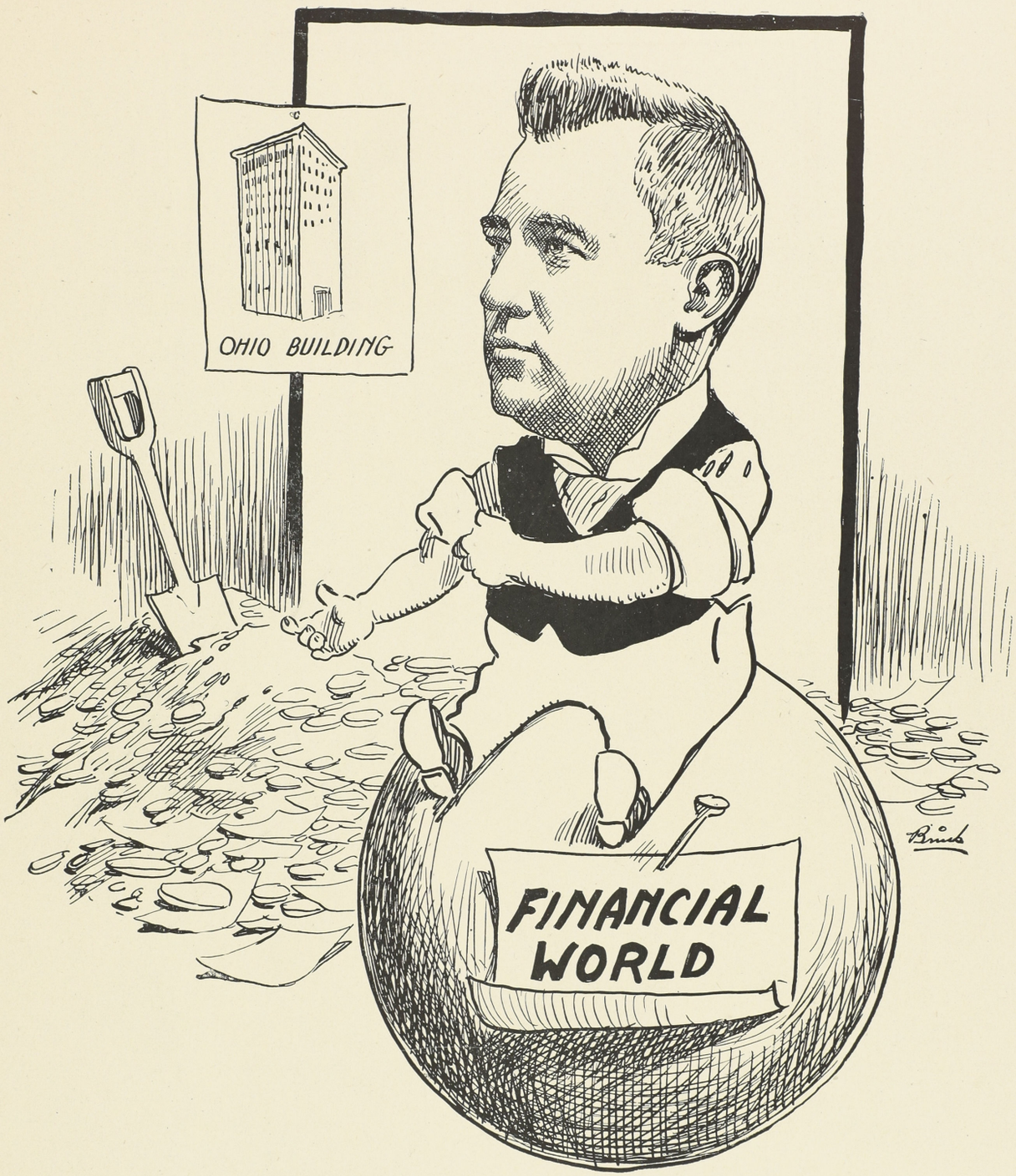
George S. Mills.

Architect



Thomas F. Huber

Of Bacon & Huber, Architects

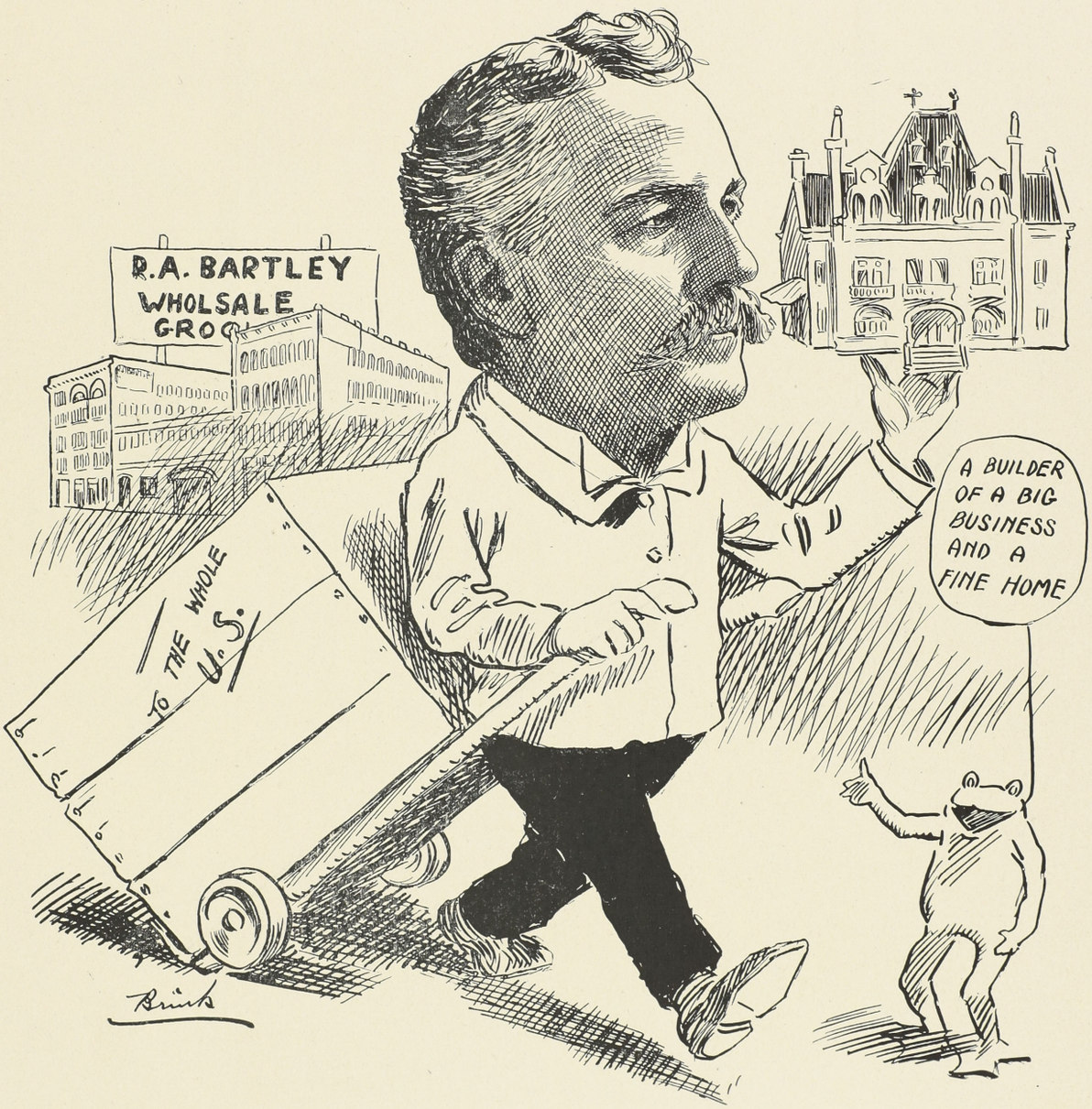


Willard F. Robison

Of David Robison Jr. & Sons, Bankers

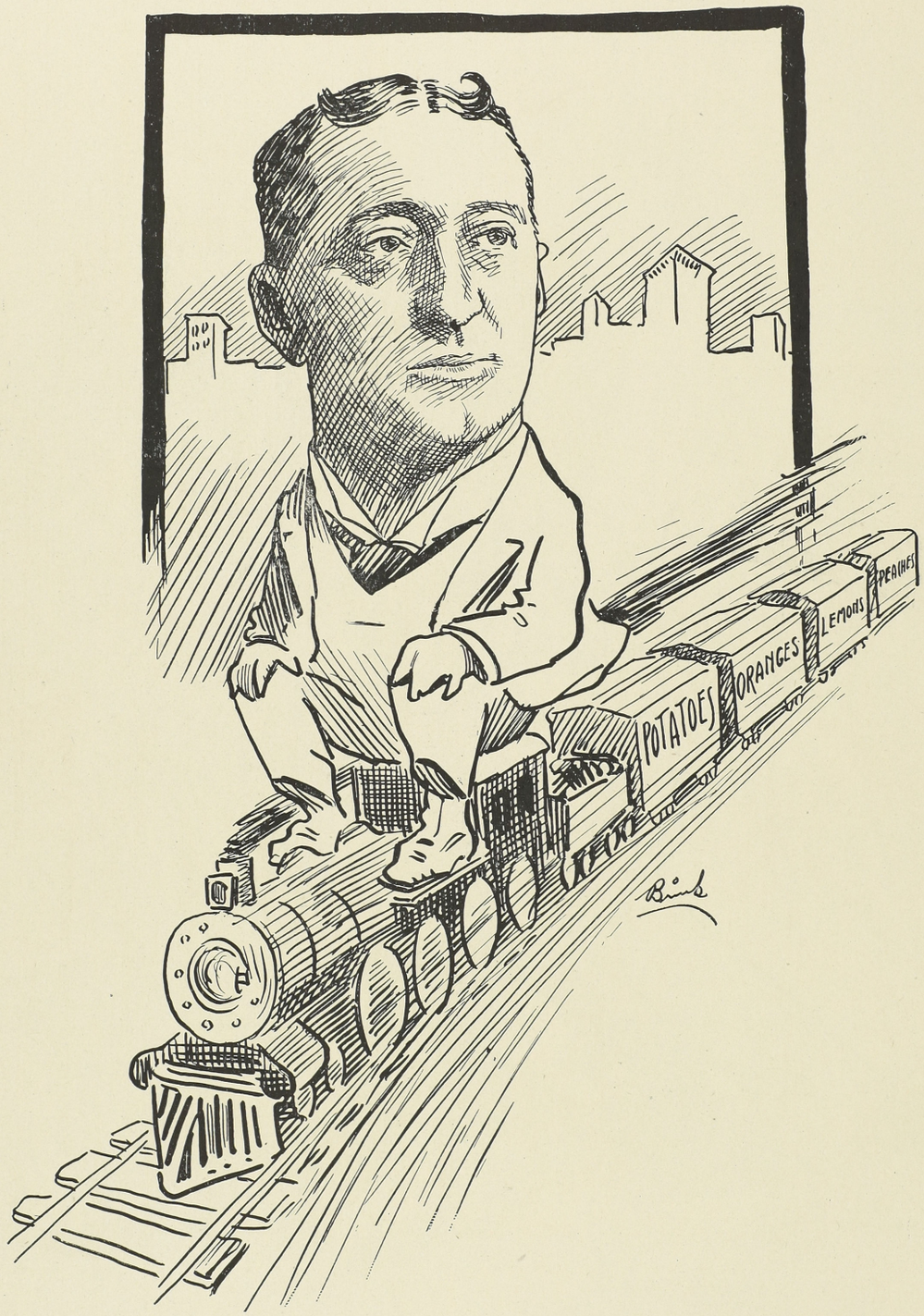
R. M. Scribner

Treasurer of The Security Savings Bank & Trust Company



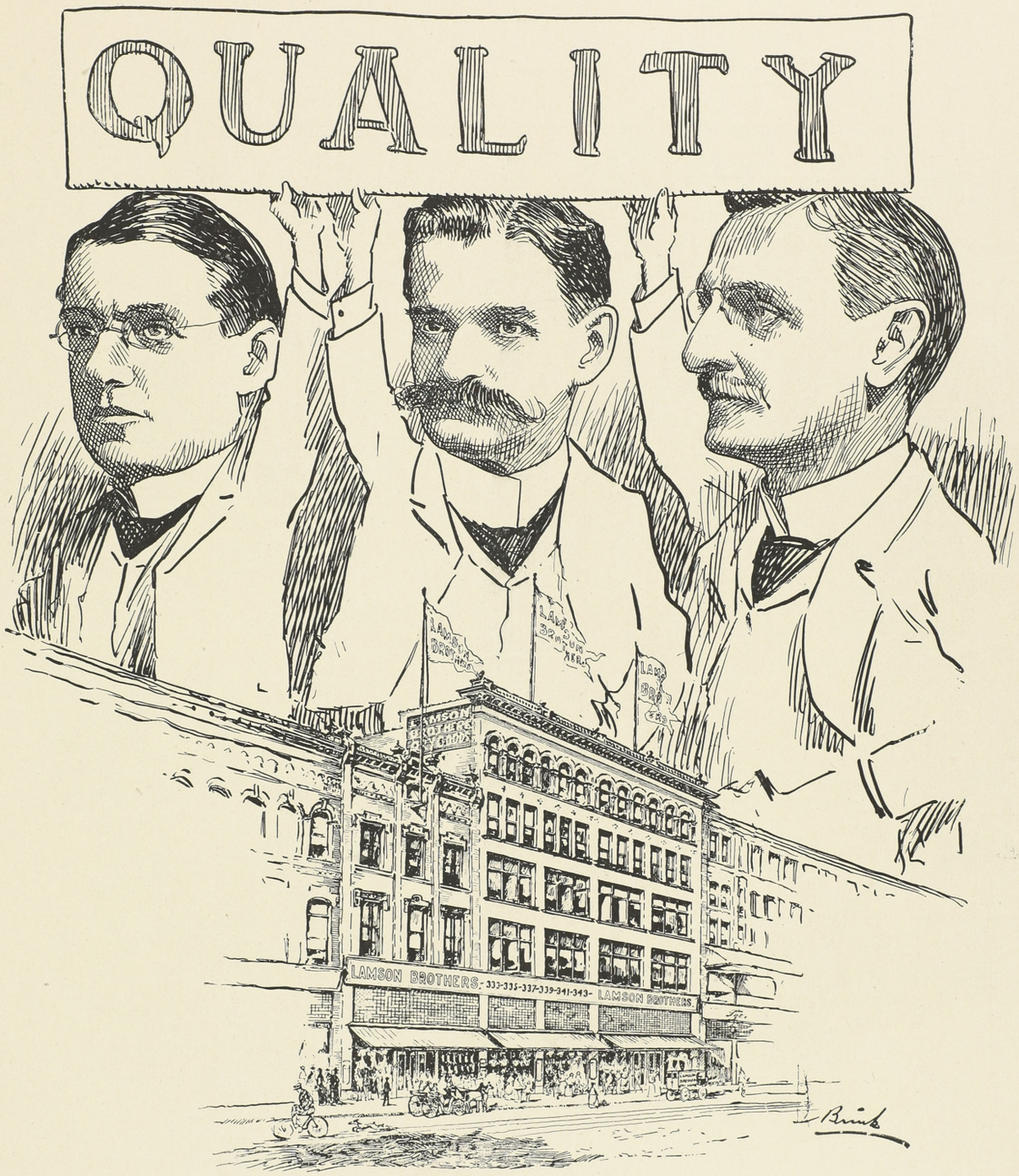
R. A. Bartley

Wholesale Grocer



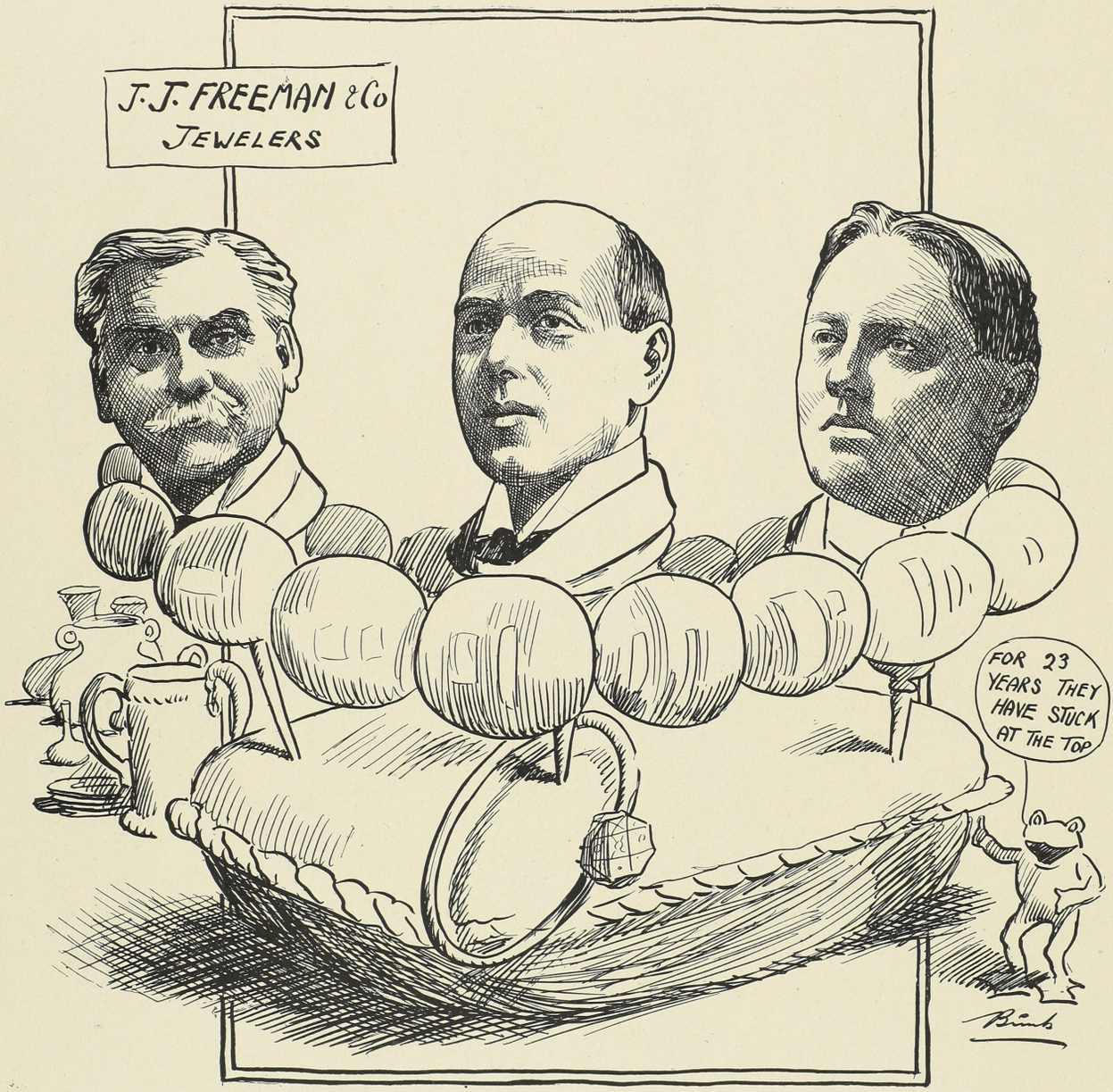
W. B. Geroe

Of the W. B. Geroe Company, Wholesale Fruits and Produce.



Julius G. Lamson C. E. B. Lamson J. D. R. Lamson

of Lamson Bros., Dry Goods.

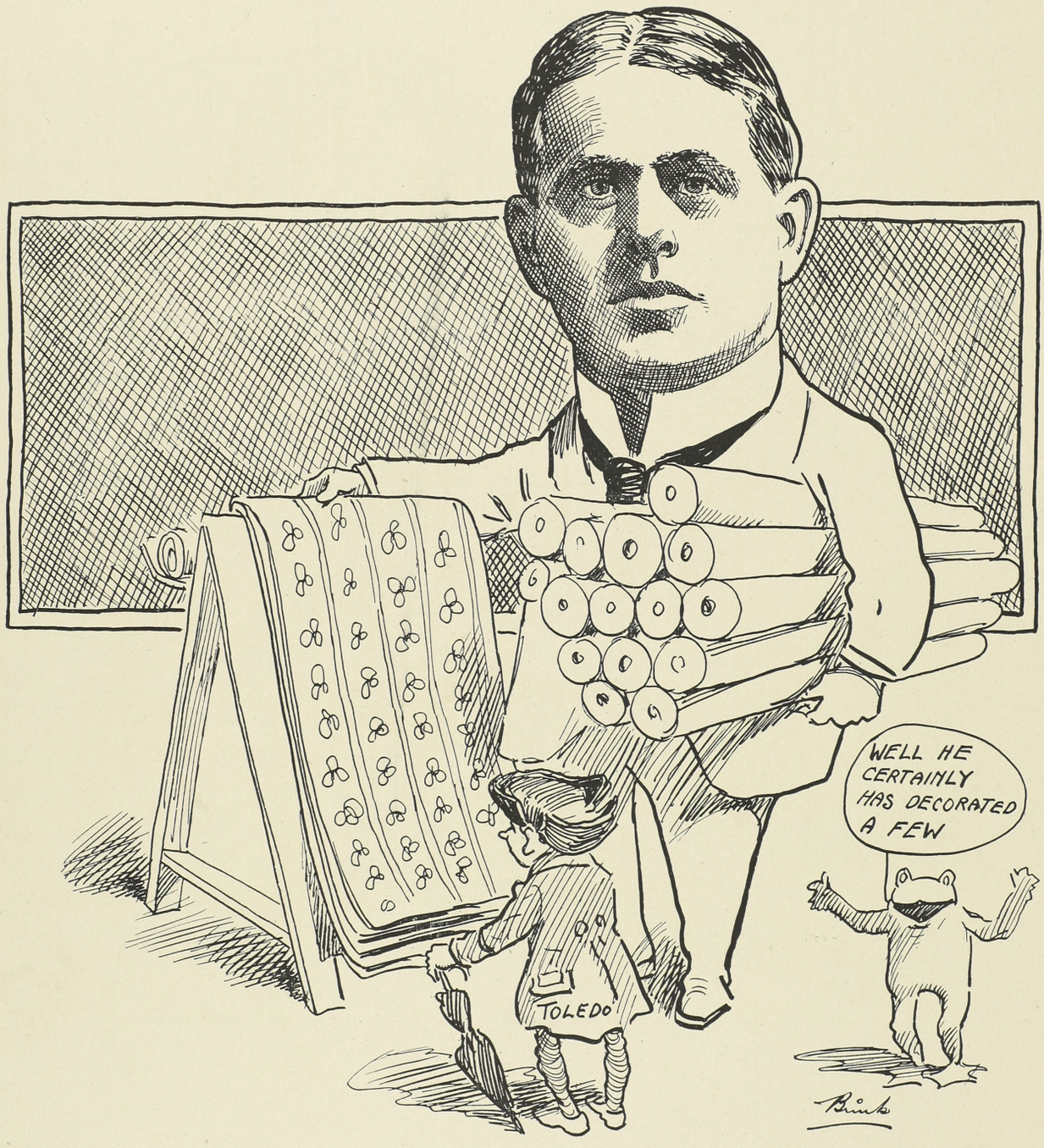


J. J. Freeman N. E. Hascall M. D. Teal

of J. J. Freeman & Co., Jewelry and Diamonds.

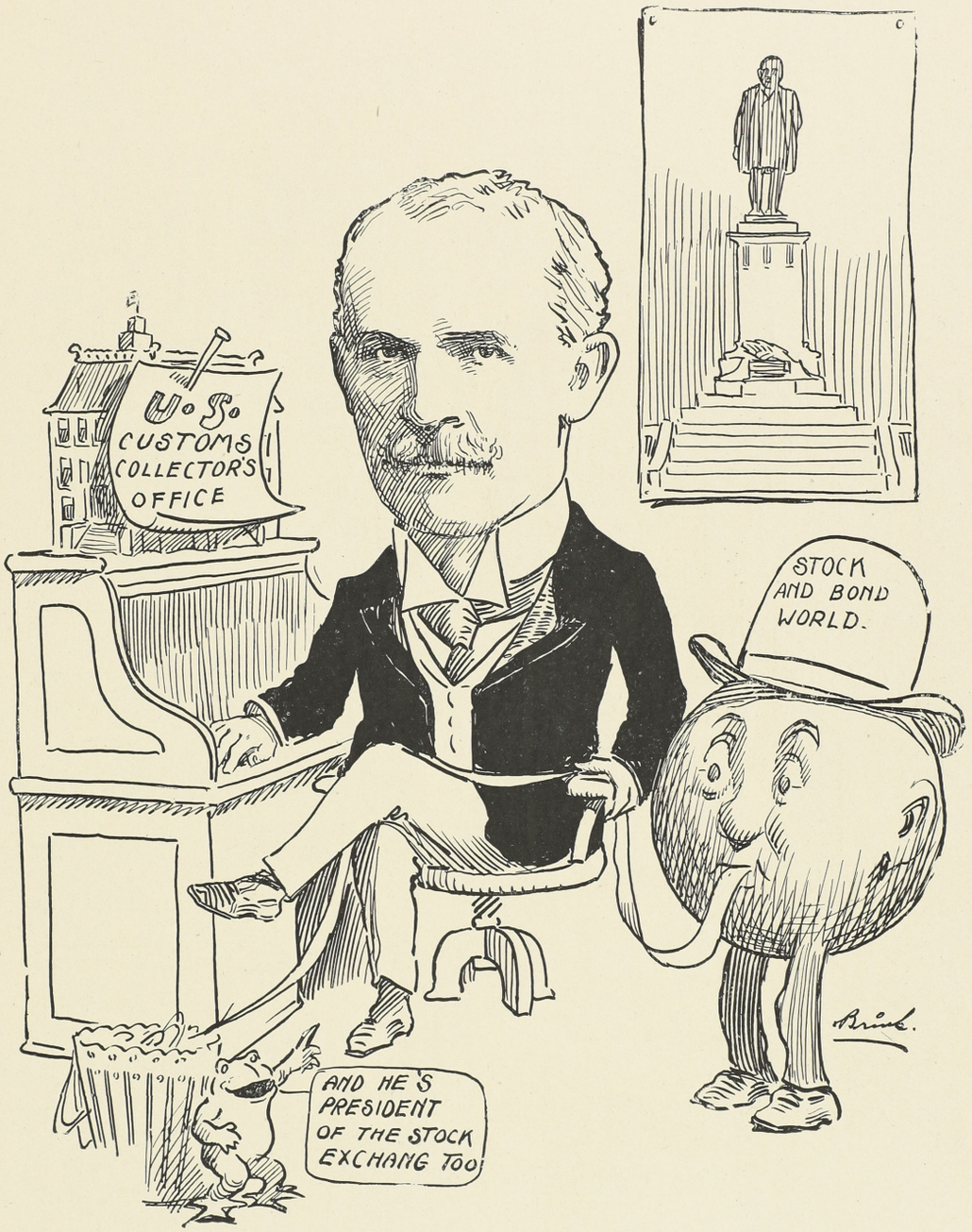
J. W. Lewis

Vice Pres. and Manager The Lion Dry Goods Company



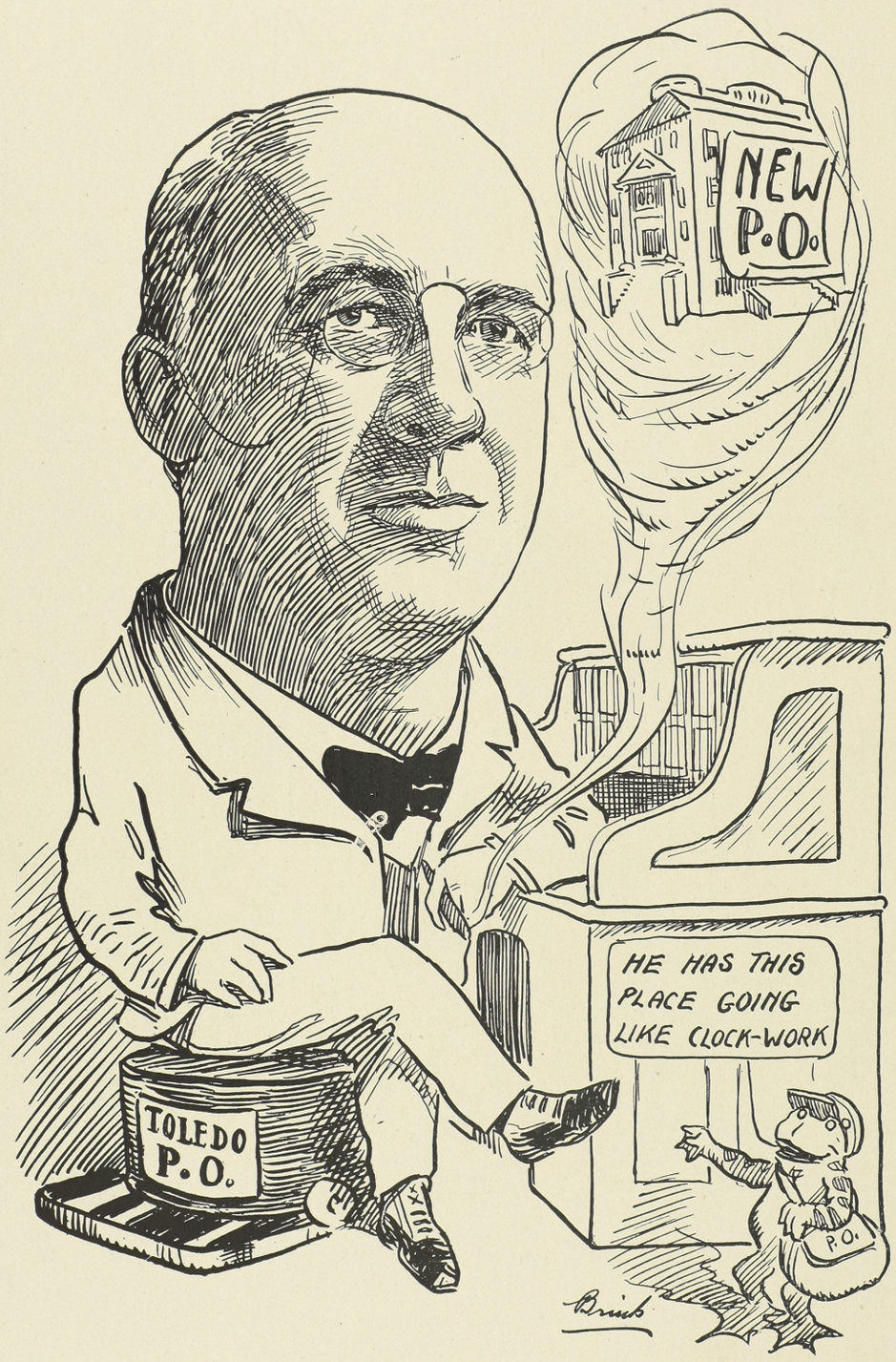
Frank E. Morton

Secretary The Brown, Eager & Hull Co.
and head Wall Paper Dept.



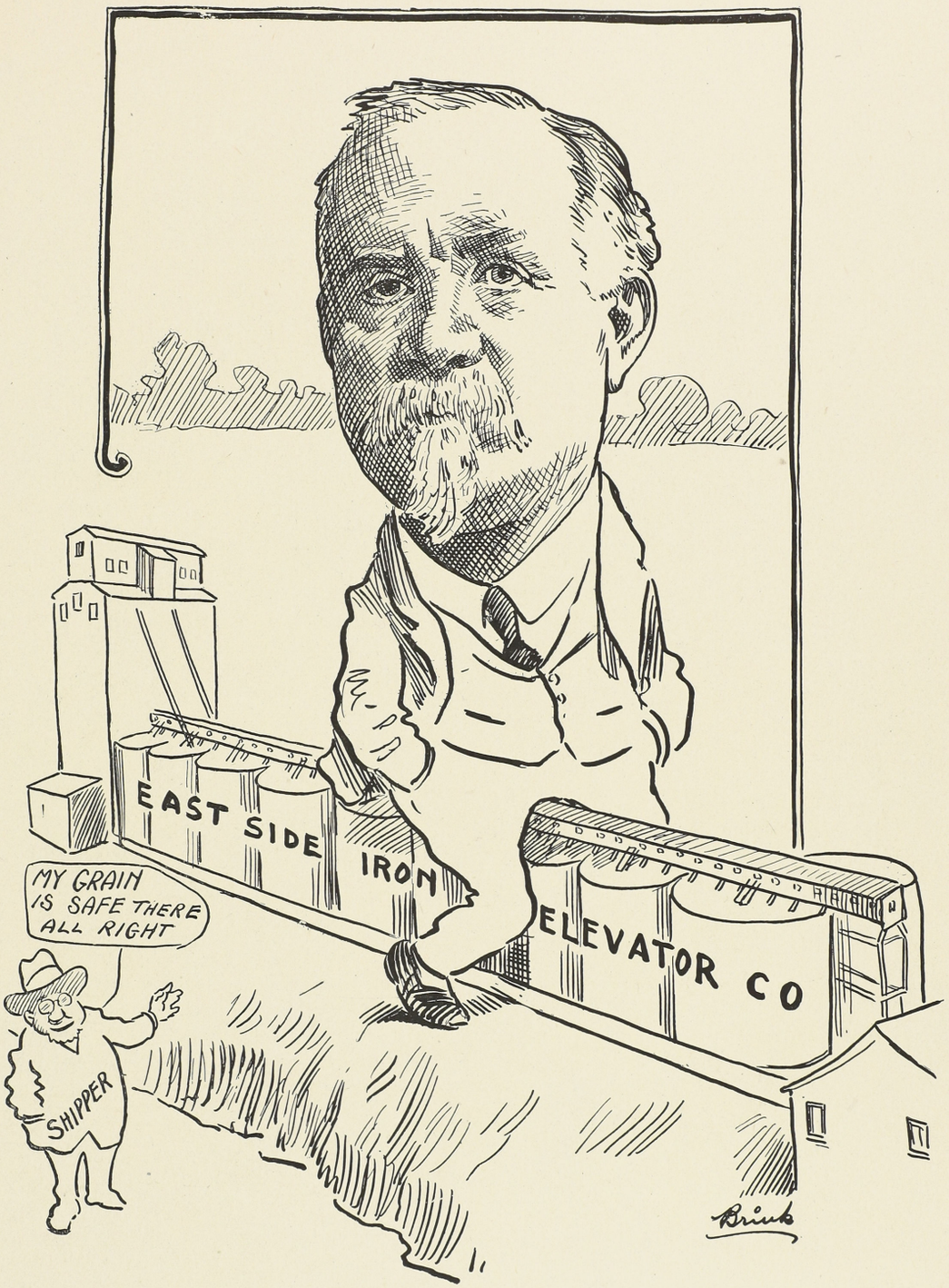
J. C. Bonner

Collector of Customs and Bonner & Co., Bankers and Brokers



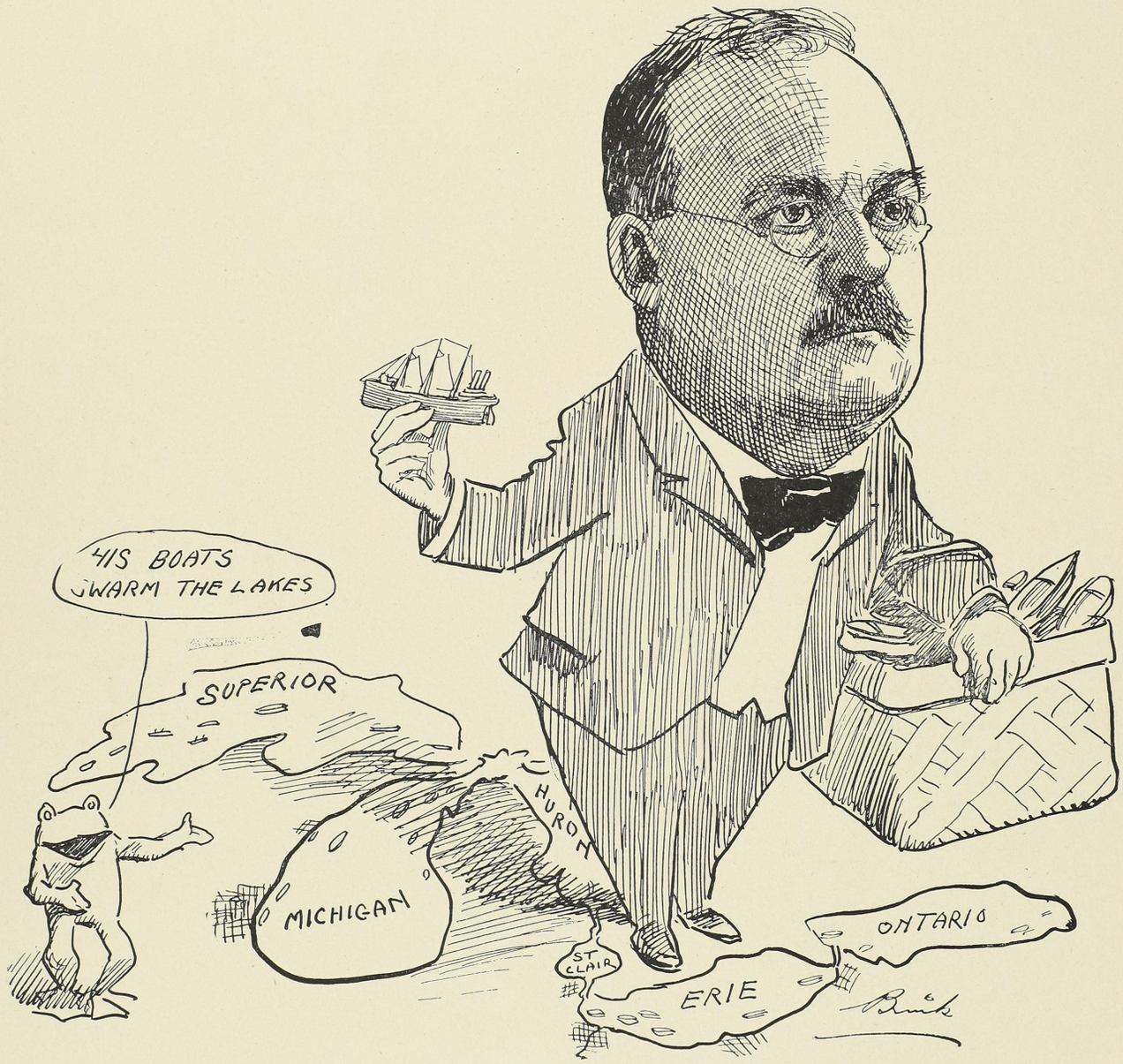
W. H. Tucker

Postmaster



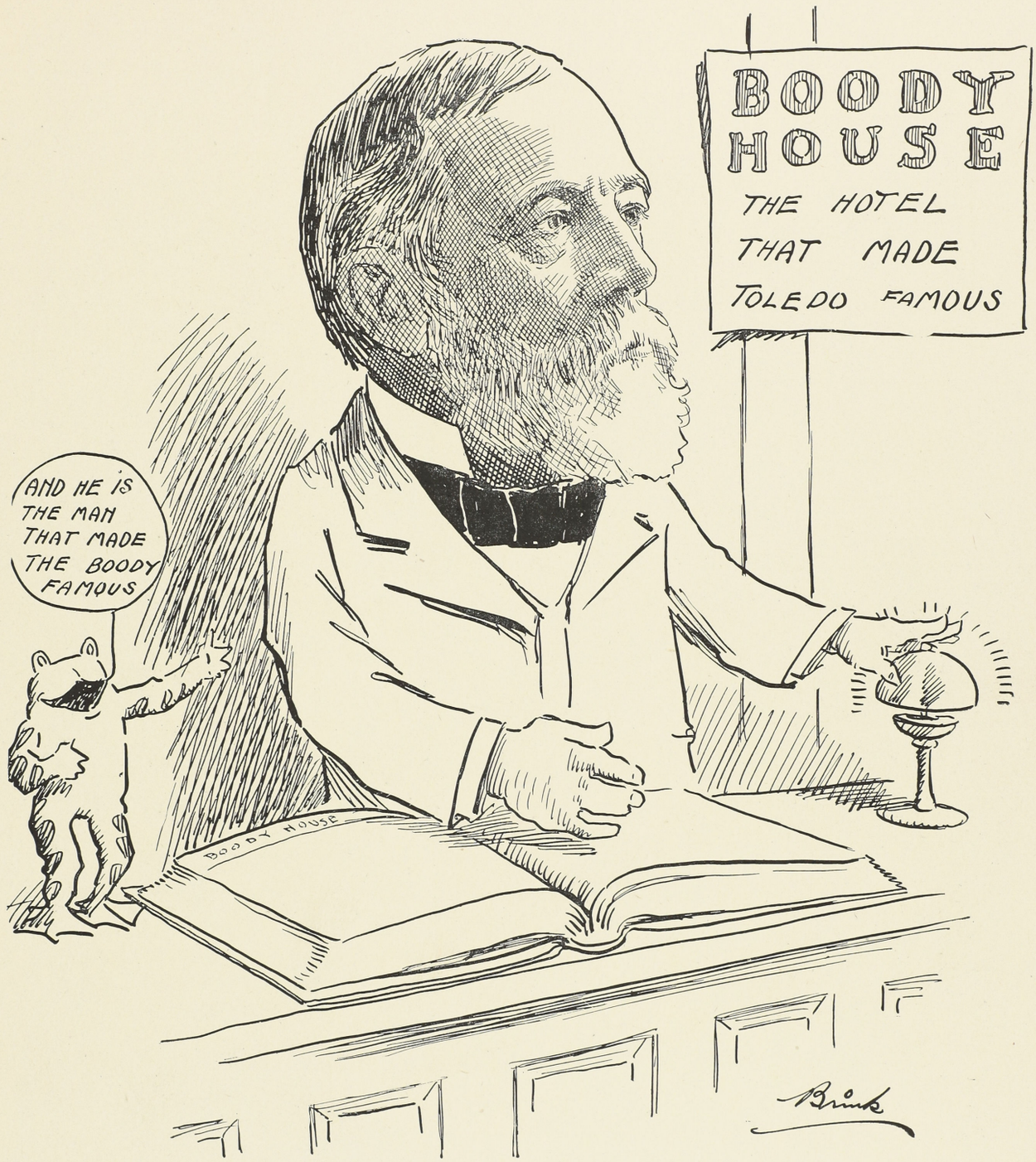
A. W. Boardman

Secretary of the East Side Iron Elevator Co.



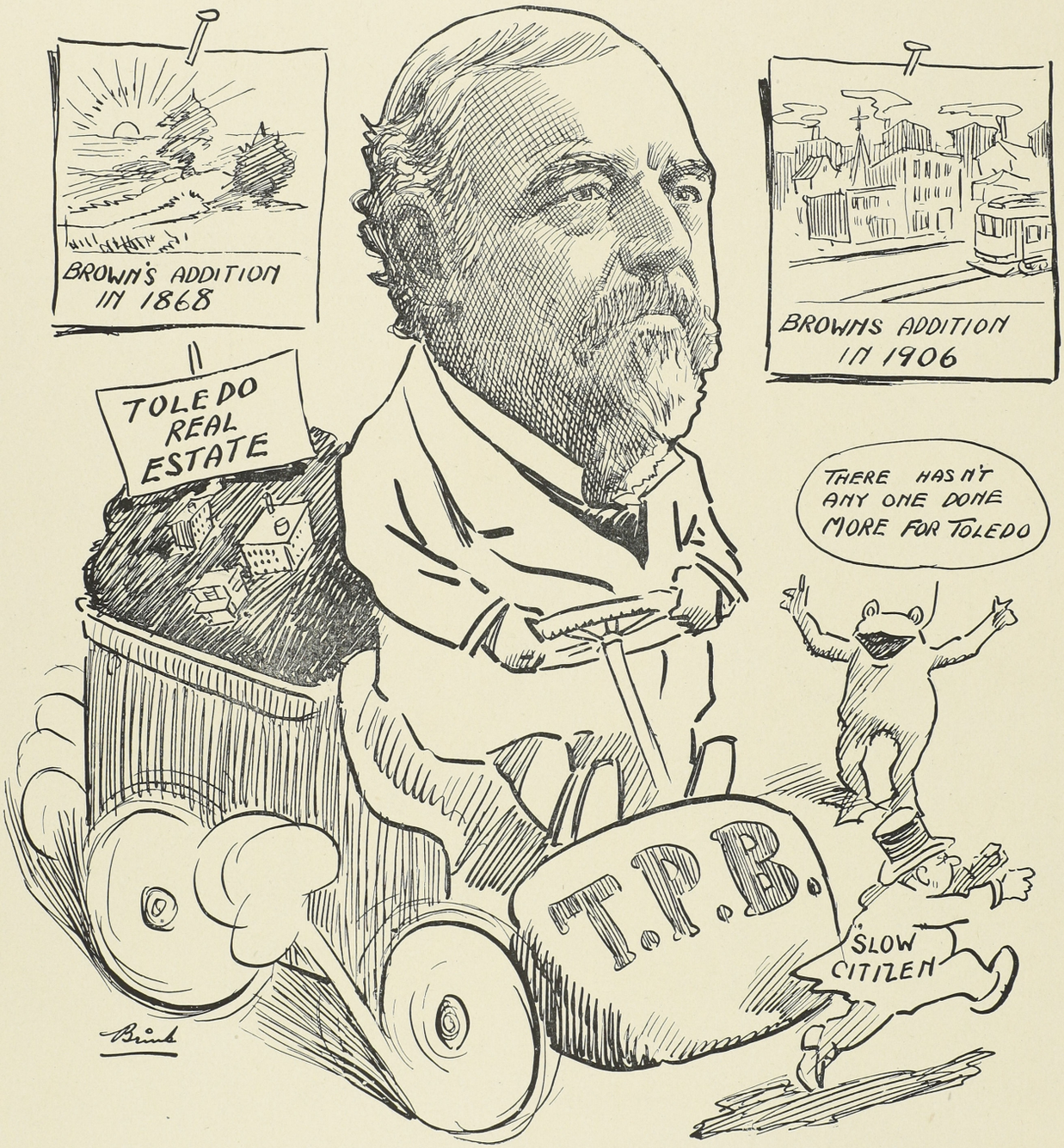
L. S. Sullivan

Vessel Owner and Marine Insurance



Ferdinand Welch

Of the Boody House (now retired).



T. P. Brown

Capitalist.

Emery R. Hiett

Secretary of the Peoples Savings, Loan & Building Co.

Irving B. Hiett

Of Irving B. Hiett & Co., Real Estate.

W. L. Ross, G. P. A.

The Toledo, St. Louis & Western Ry. Co.

T. P. Shontz, President

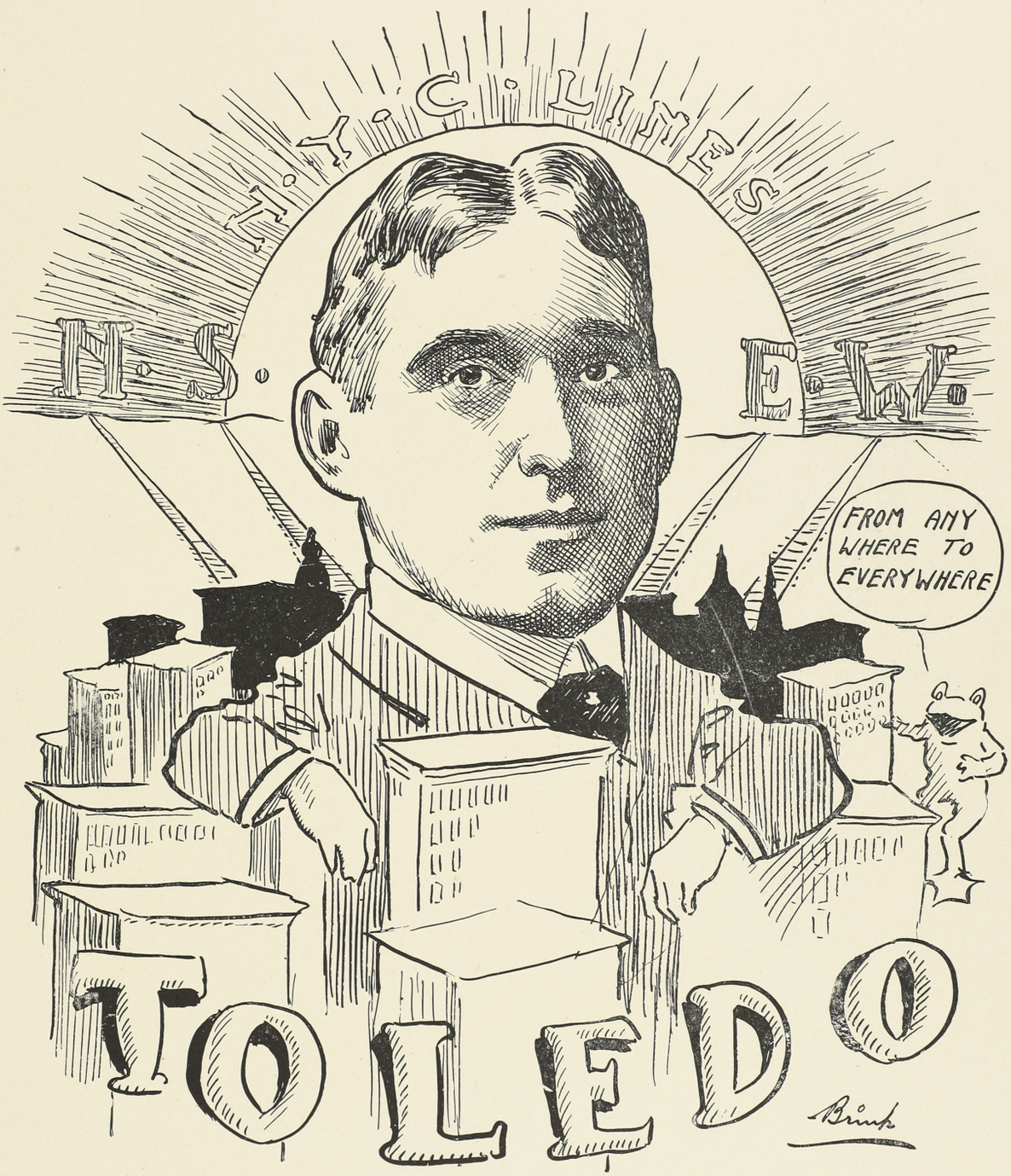
The Toledo St. Louis & Western R. R.

J. M. Steenberg

Division Freight Agent, The Pennsylvania Lines.

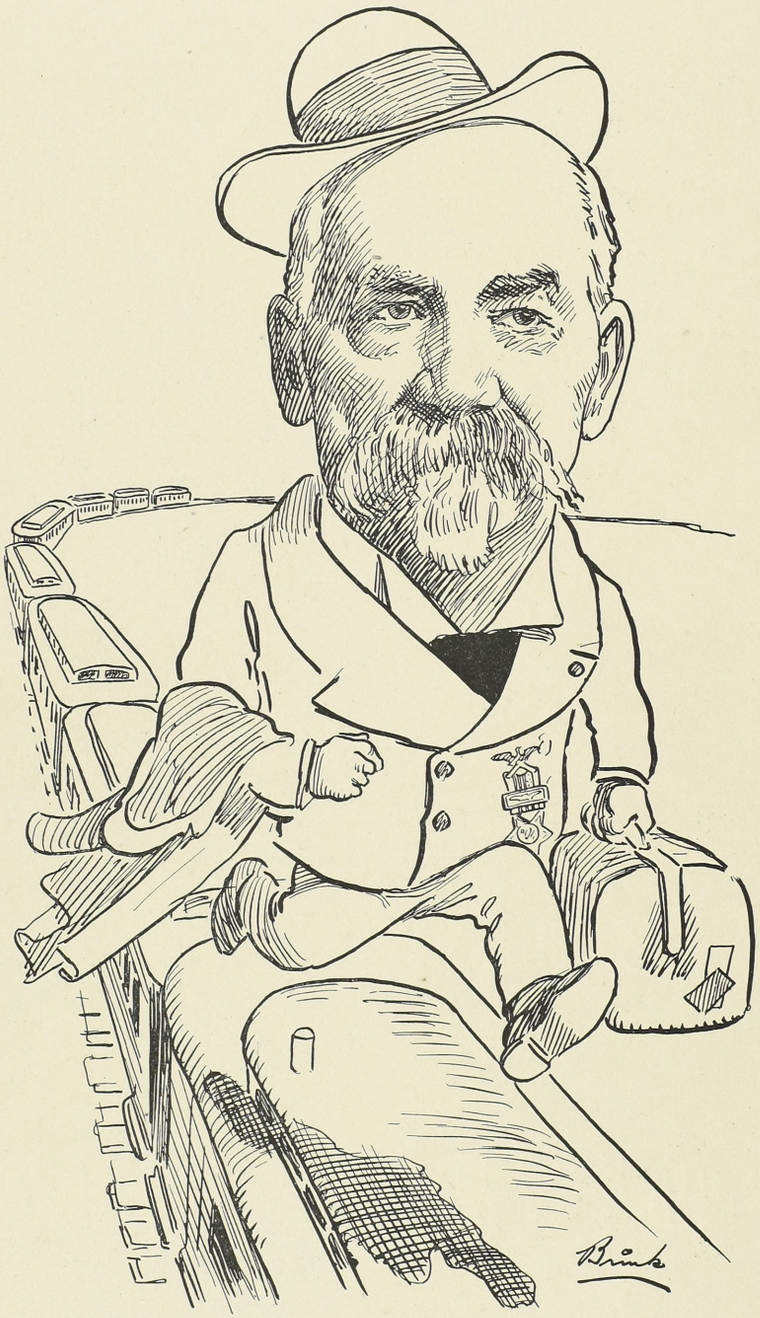
Hudson Fitch

General Freight Agent, The Ohio Central Lines.



L. W. Landman, G. A. P. D.

N. Y. Central Lines.



S. G. Harvey

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Wilbur A. Owens and Chas. W. Owens

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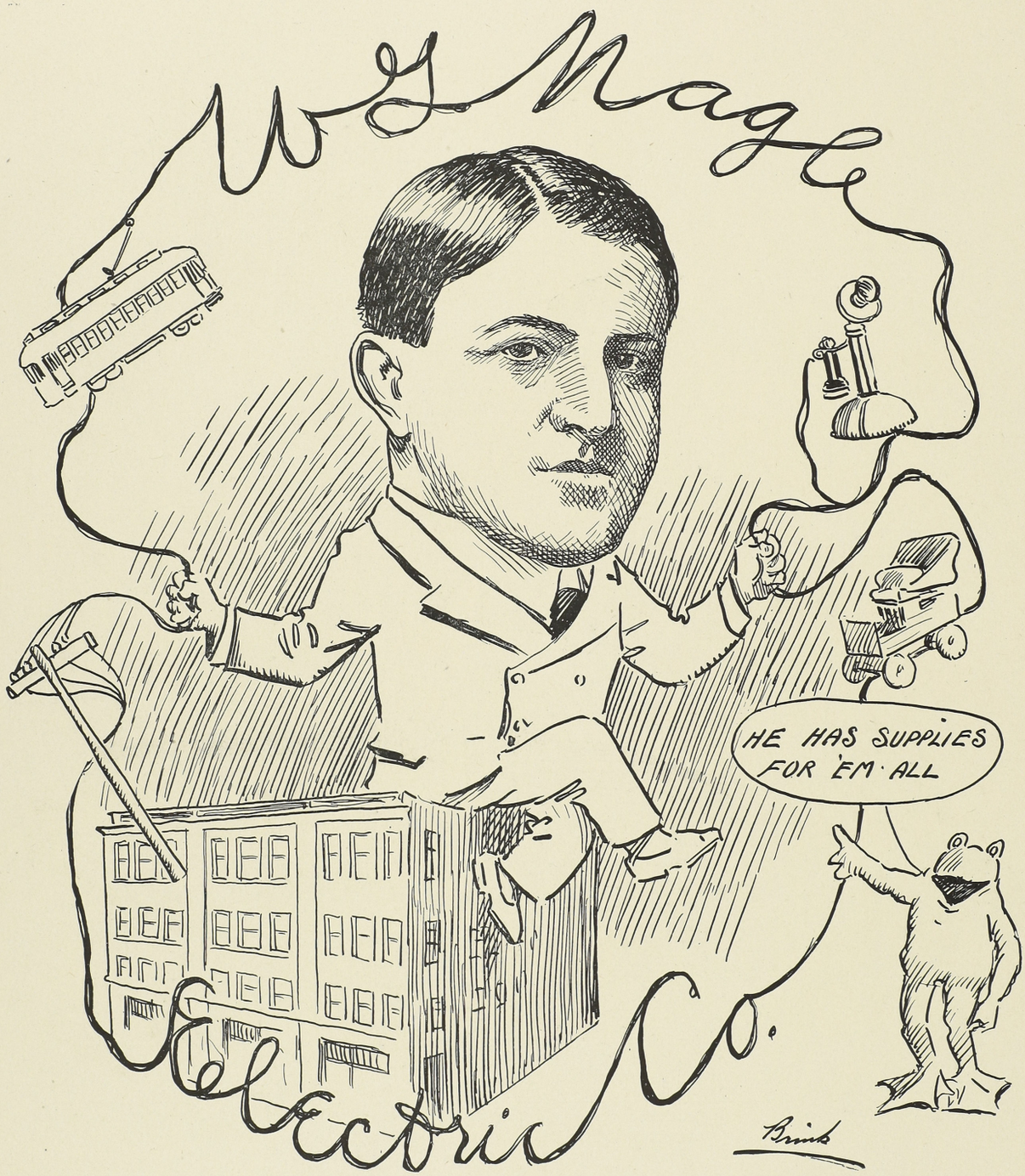
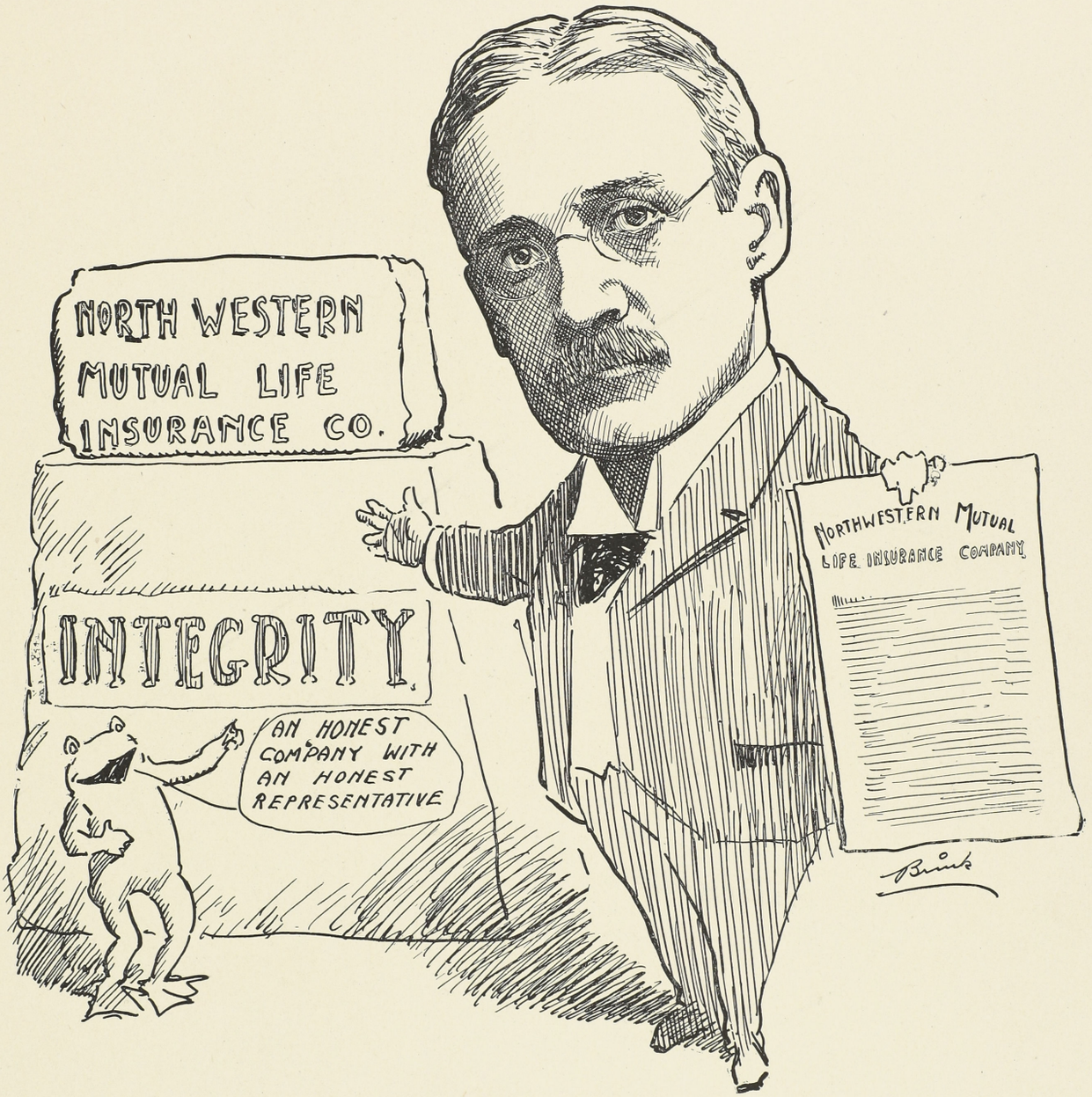


W. G. Nagel

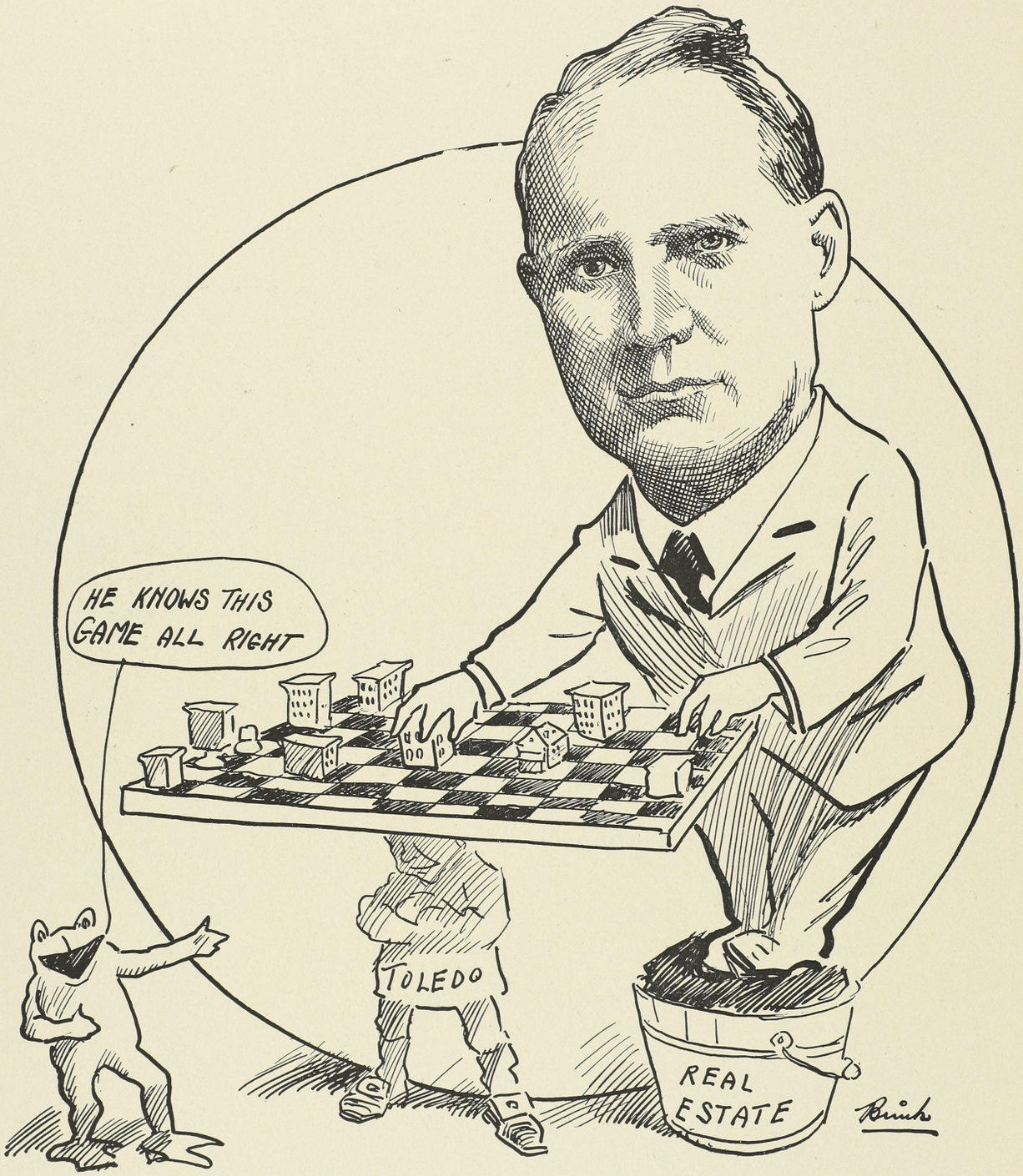
Of the W. G. Nagel Electric Company.



Charles H. Parsons

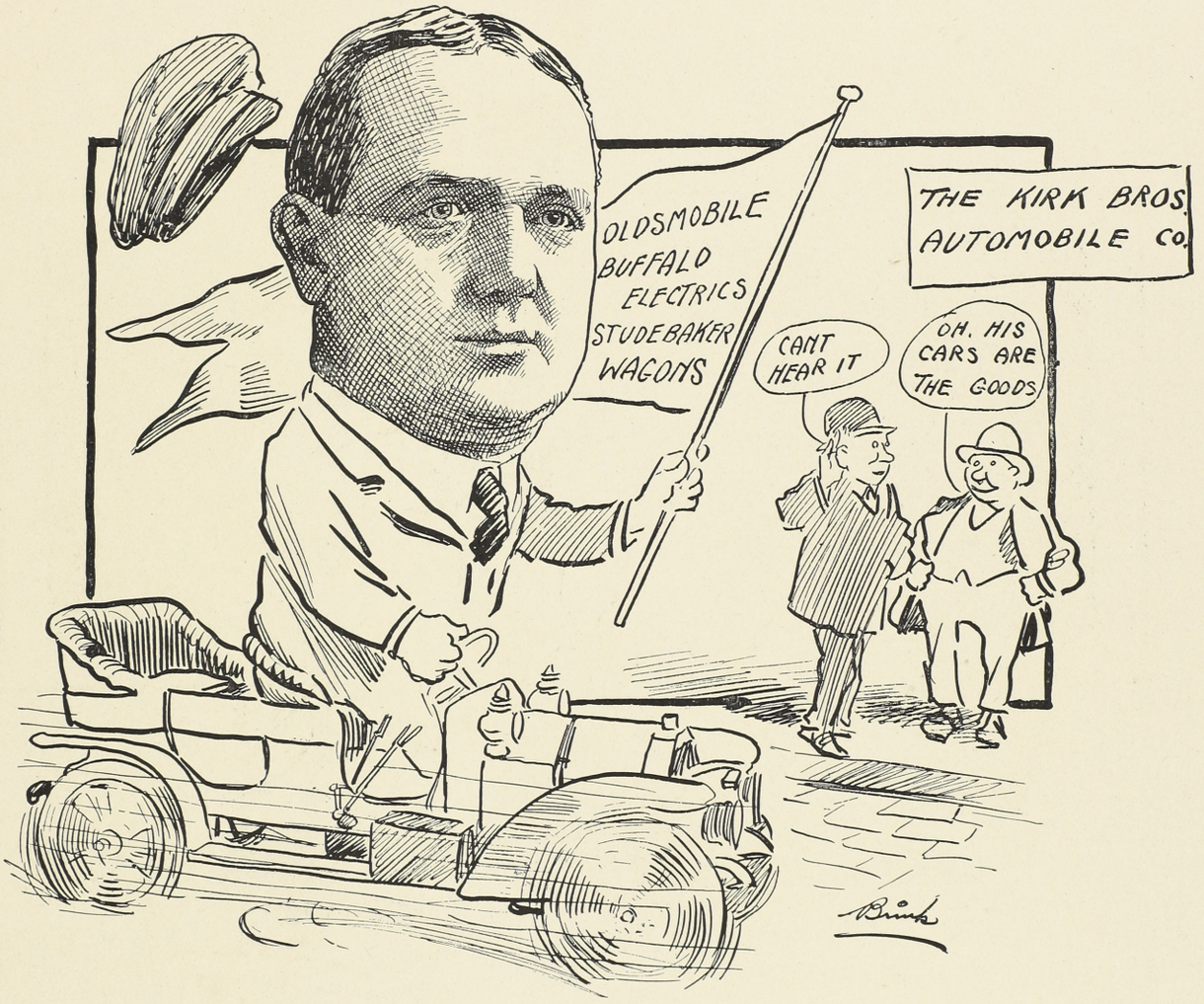
General Agent

Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company.



J. H. Bellows

Real Estate.



Edward A. Kirk

Of The Kirk Bros. Automobile Company.

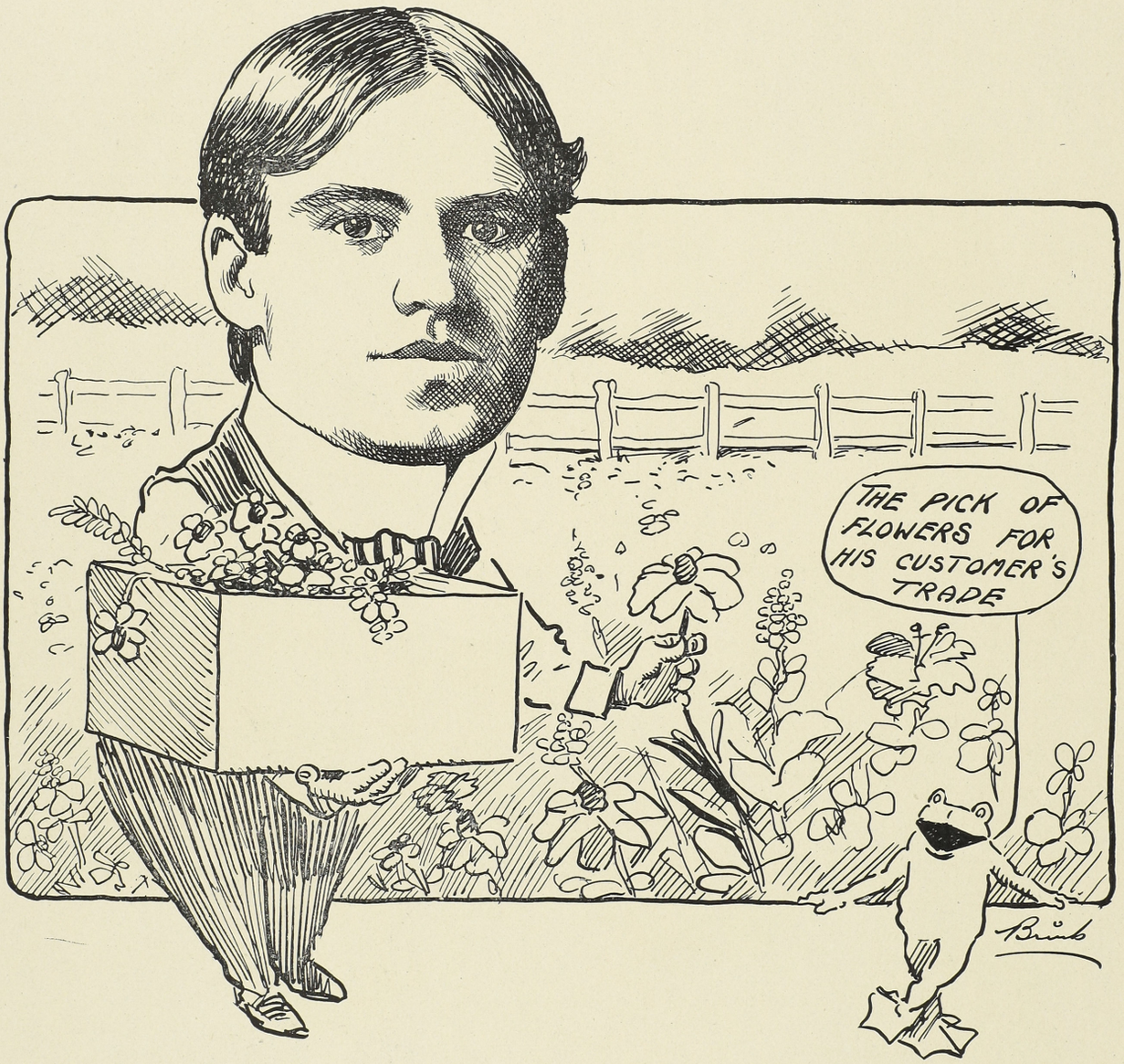
F. H. Chapman

Secretary of The Yost Electrical Company.

John F. Raab, Jr.

Of Raab Bros. & Rall.

Fine Shoes.



Frank W. James,

Wholesale Millinery.

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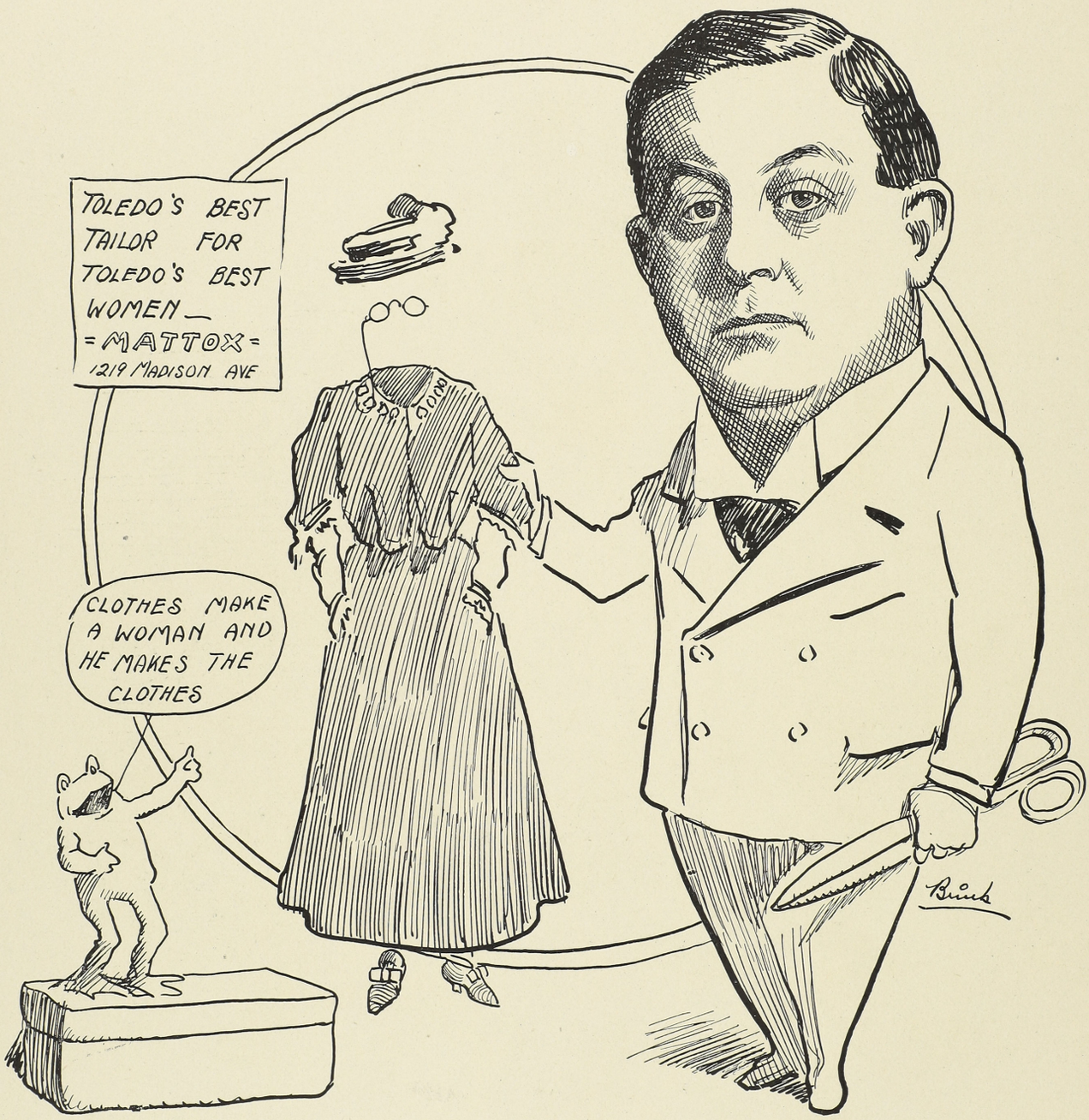
Joseph Nast

Proprietor Nasts Clothing and Shoe House.

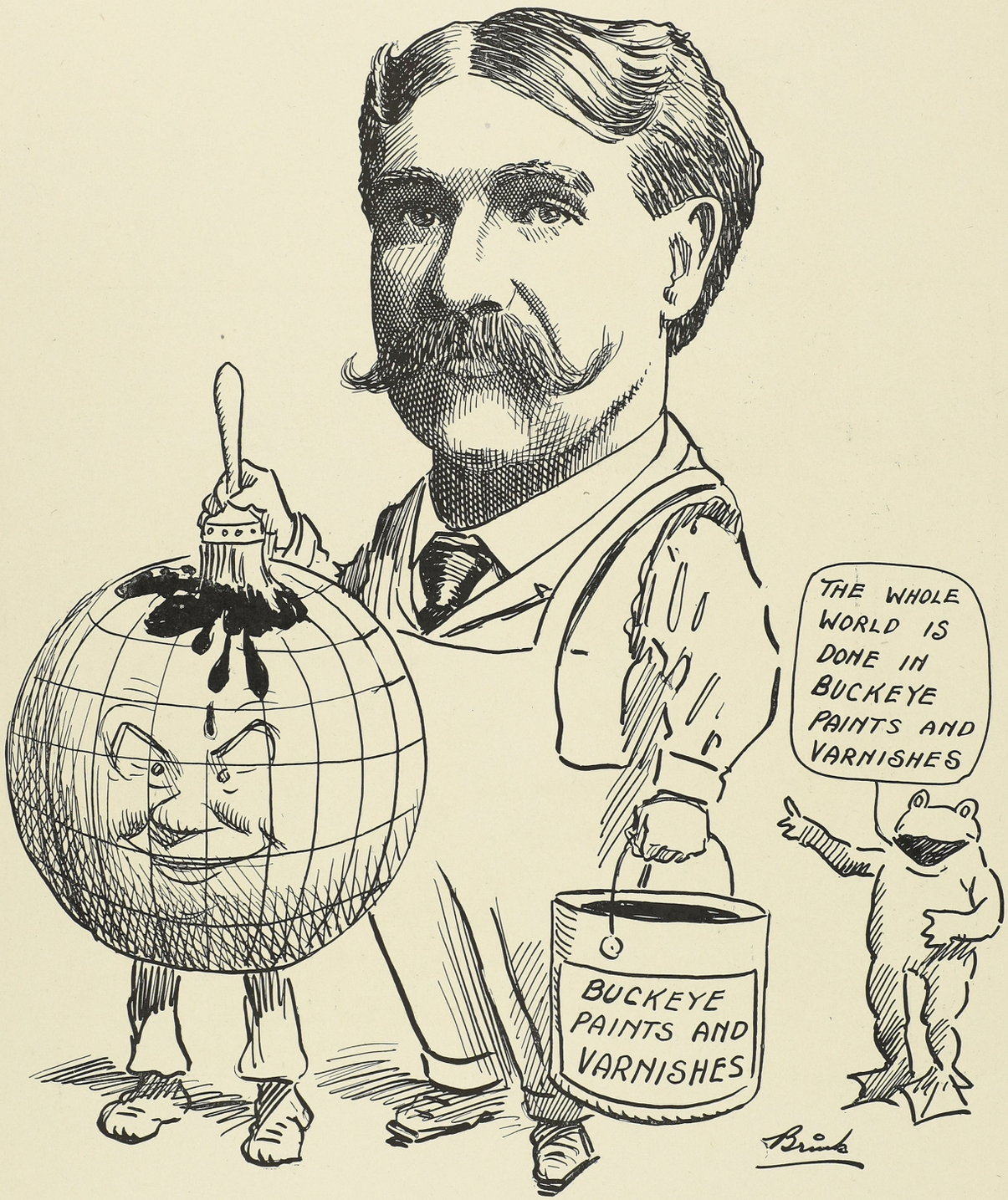


Charles D. Mattox

Ladies Tailor.

Milton H. Gasser

of the Gasser Coffee Company.



P. F. Whalen

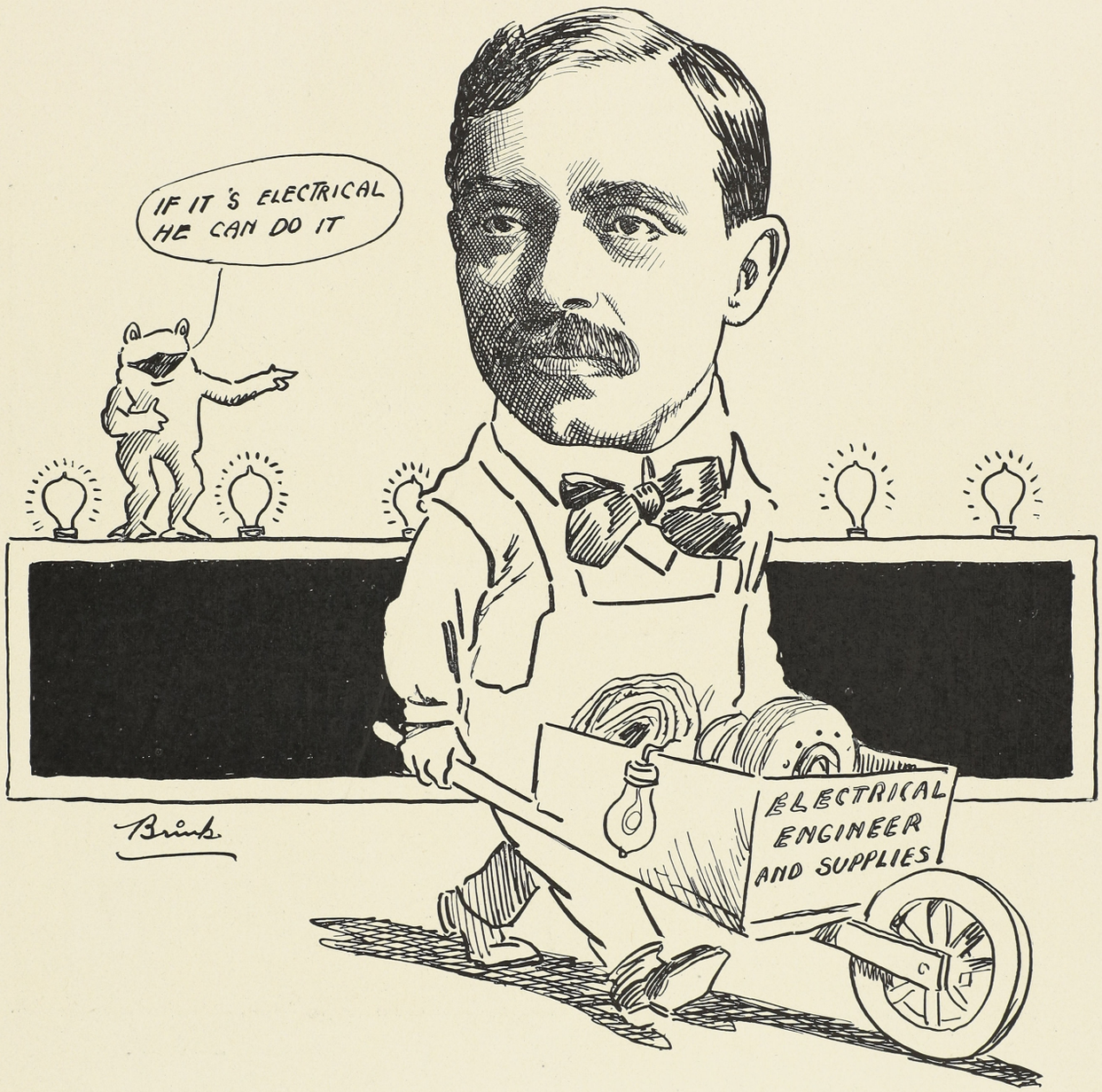
President The Buckeye Paint & Varnish Co.

T. W. McCreary

Manager The Hotel Victory Company.

E. C. Puffer,

President and Manager Boody House.



Harry R. Fowler

Electrical Engineer and Supplies

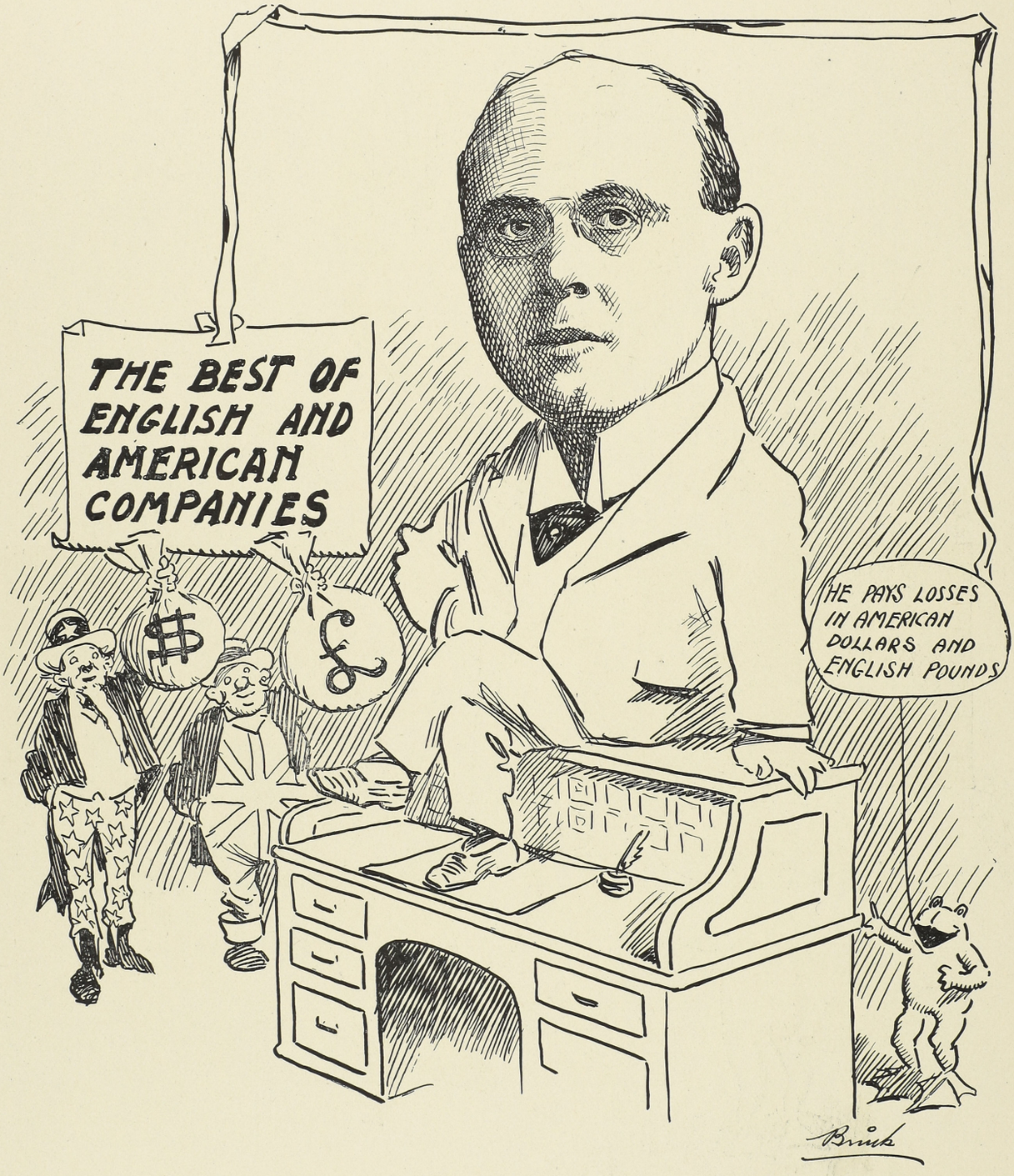
Aaron H. and Herbert D. Webster

Of Webster Bros.

Art Store and Picture Frames.

Bradford Mills

Director Toledo Couservatory of Music.

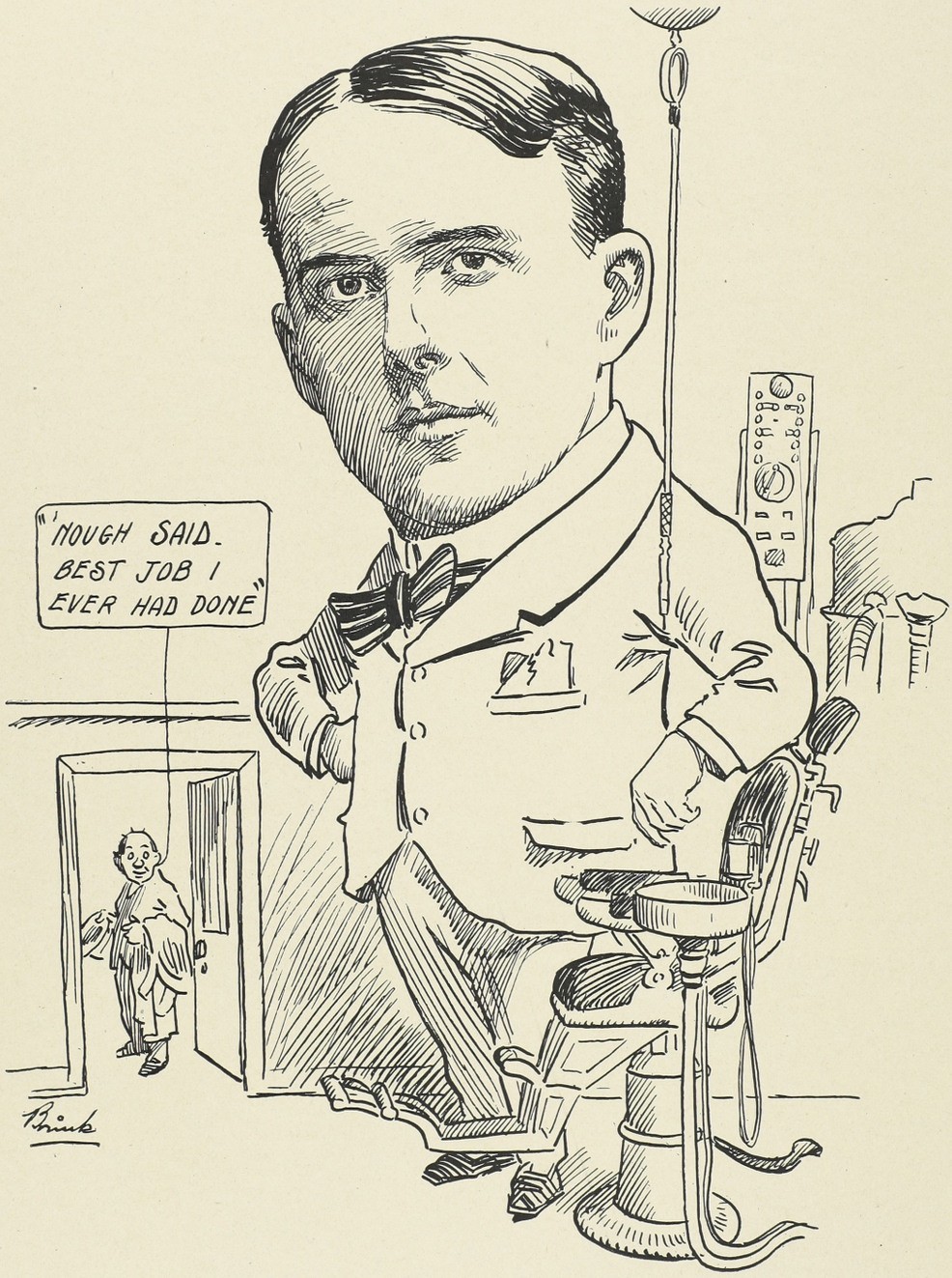


Walter A. Campbell

Of Campbell and Whitaker, Insurance.

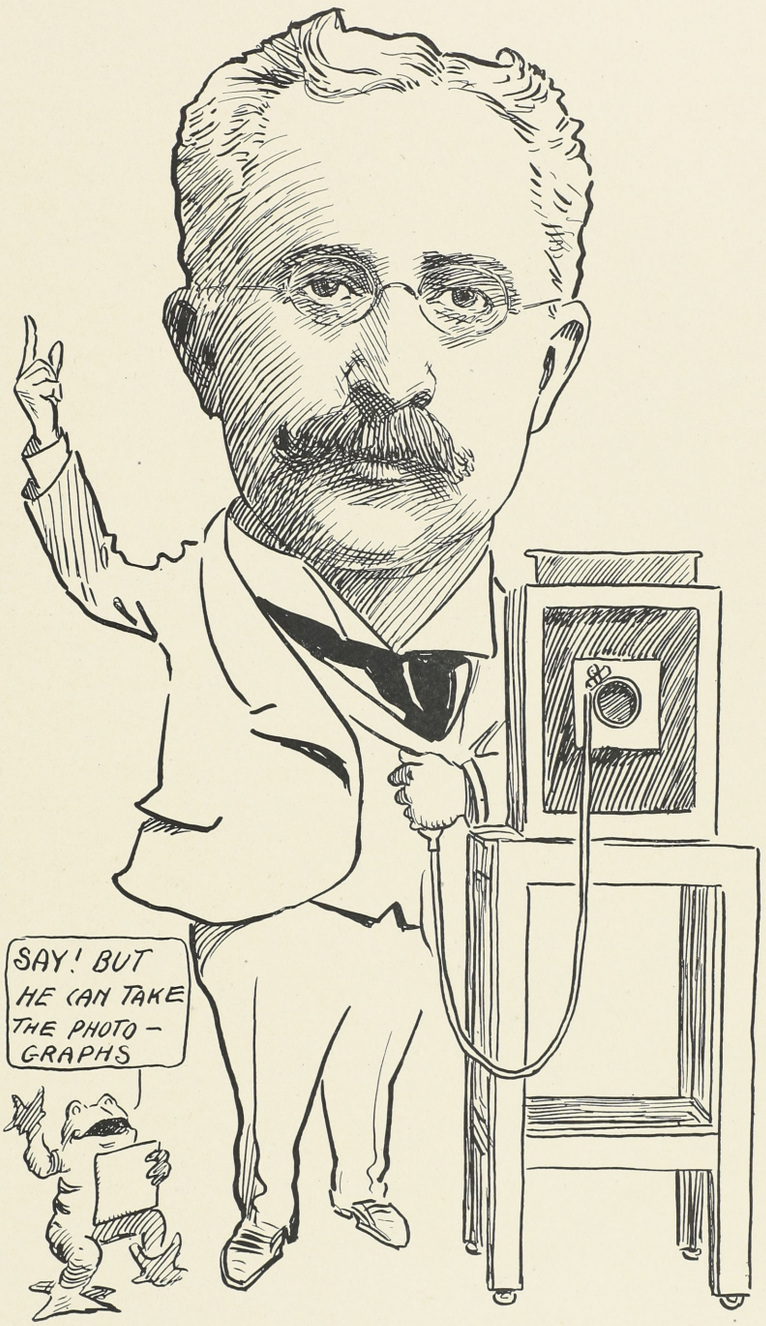
Harry Jennison

Paving Contractor.



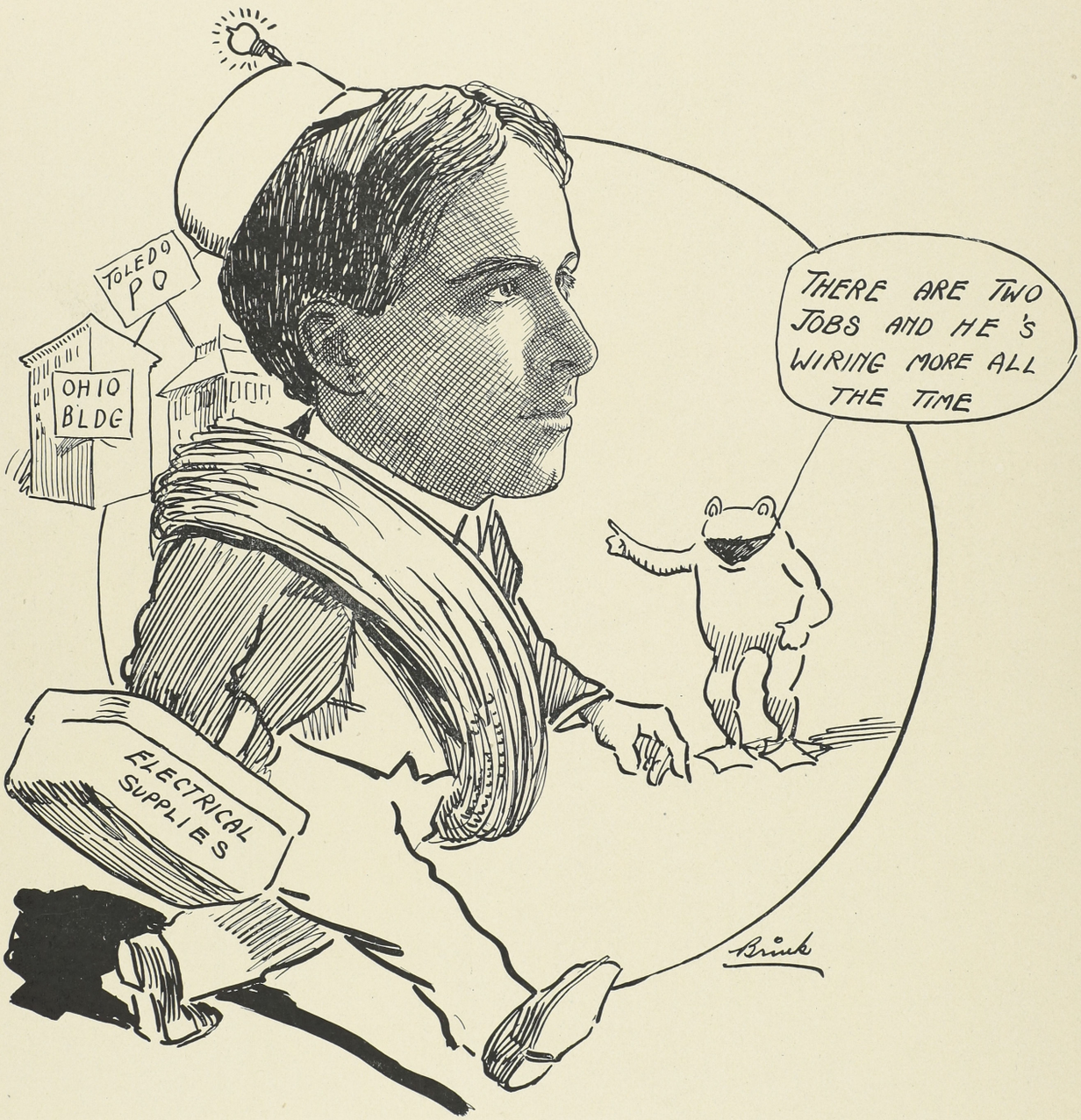
Walter H. Hisey

Dentist.



W. F. Van Loo

Proprietor Van Loo's Art Studio.



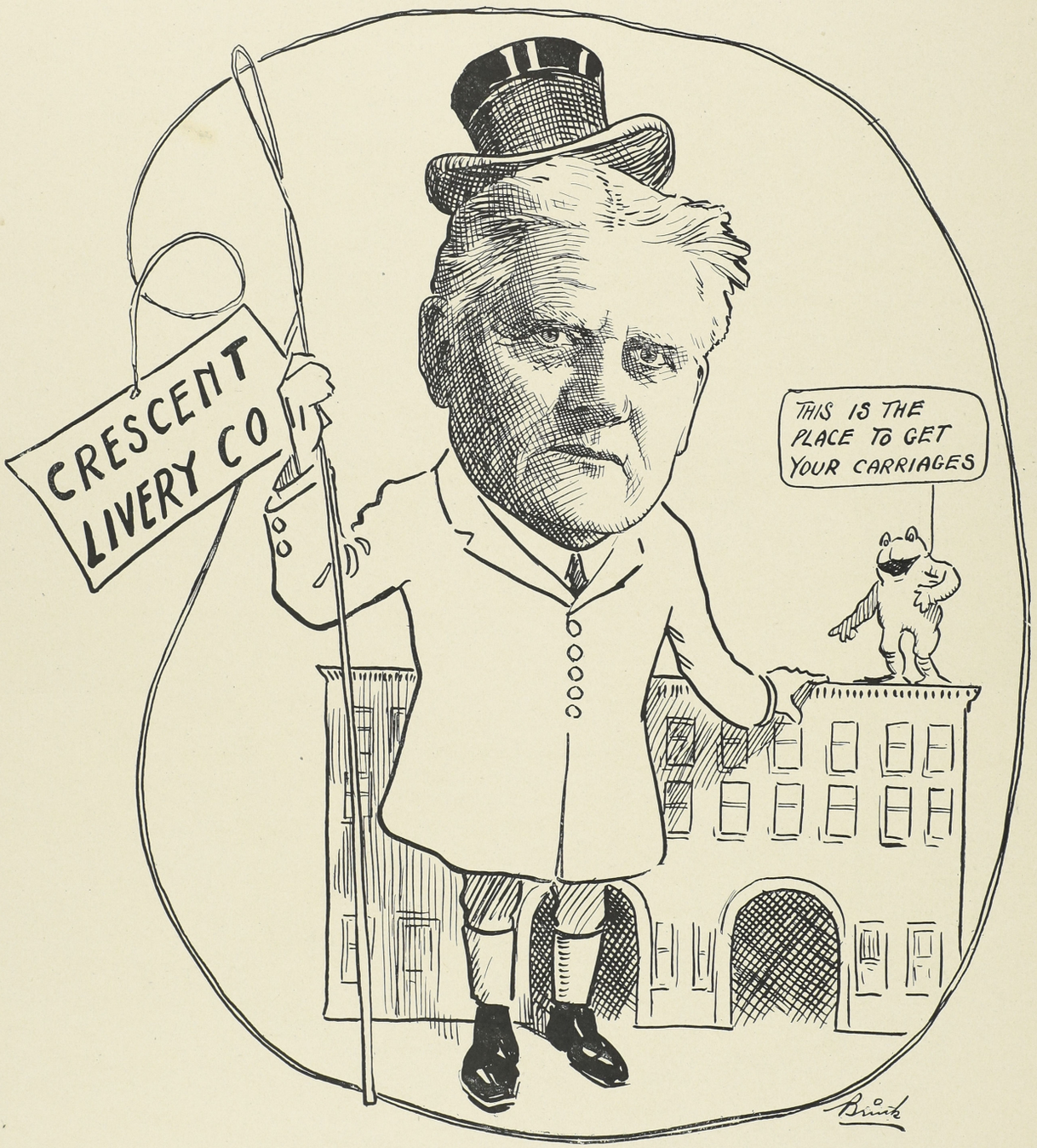
J. J. Duck

Electrical Engineer and Contractor.

Charles W. Campbell

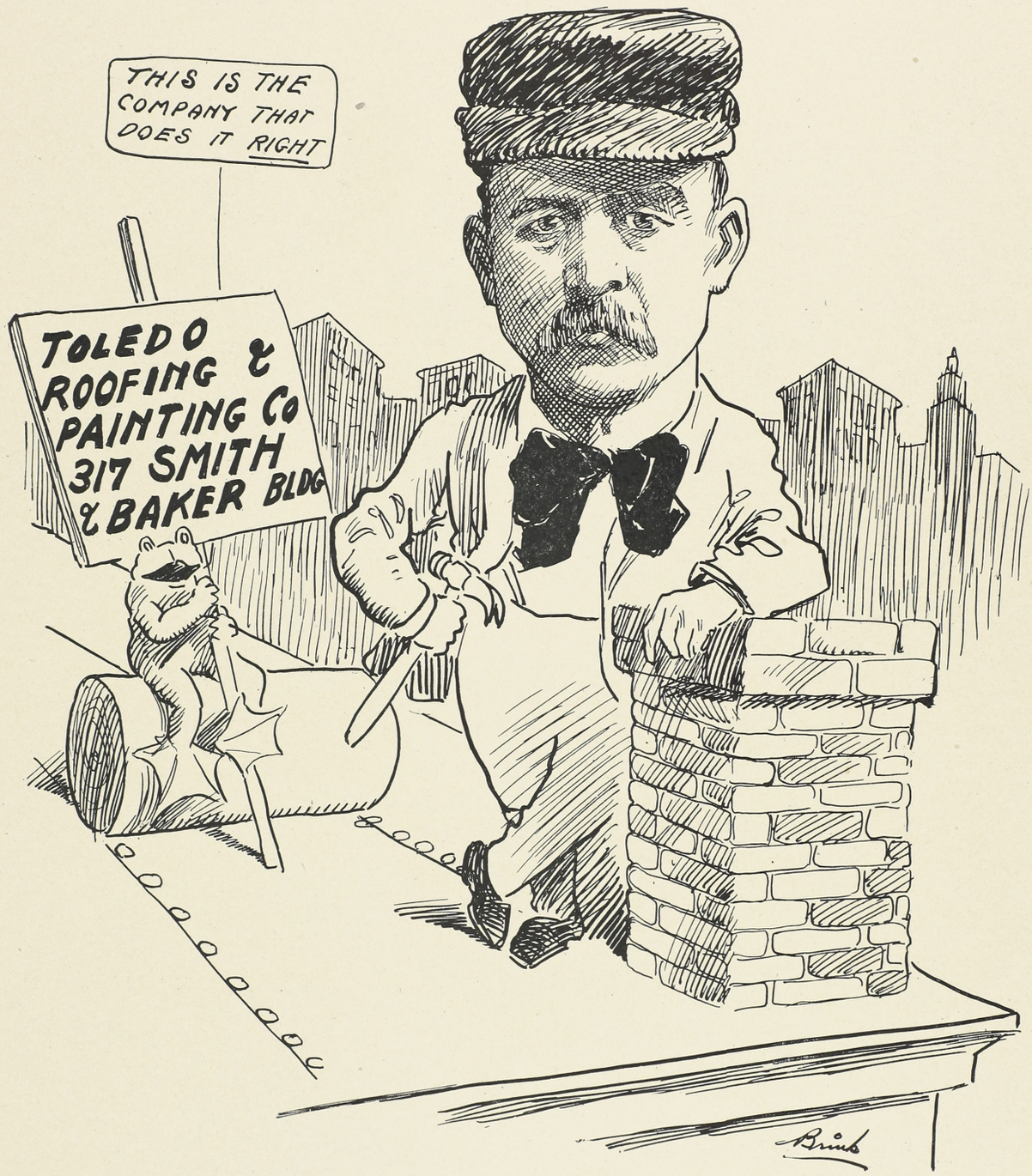
Of C. J. Campbell & Co.

Electrotypers.



C. C. Sterling

Sec. and Treas. The Crescent Livery Co.



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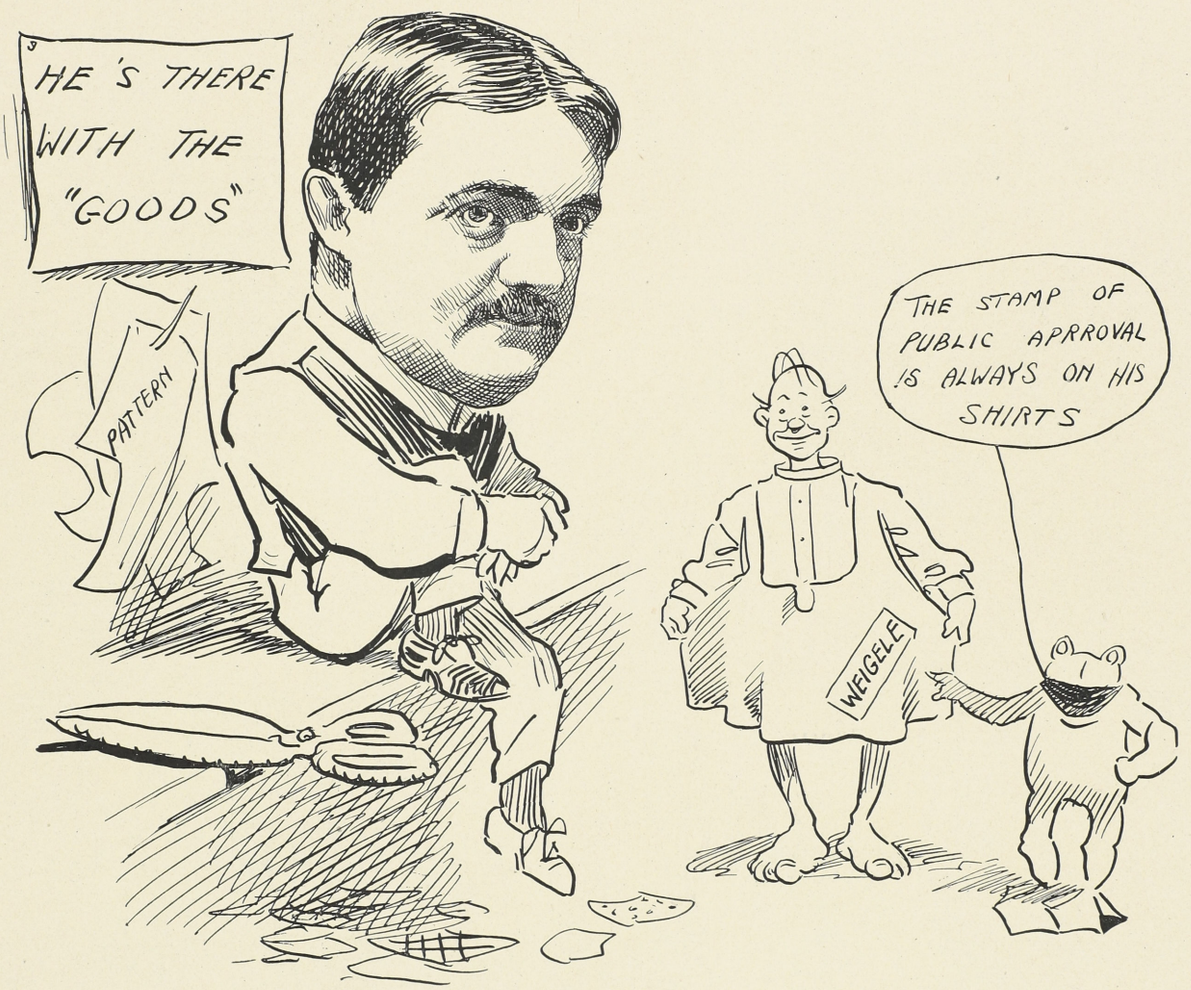

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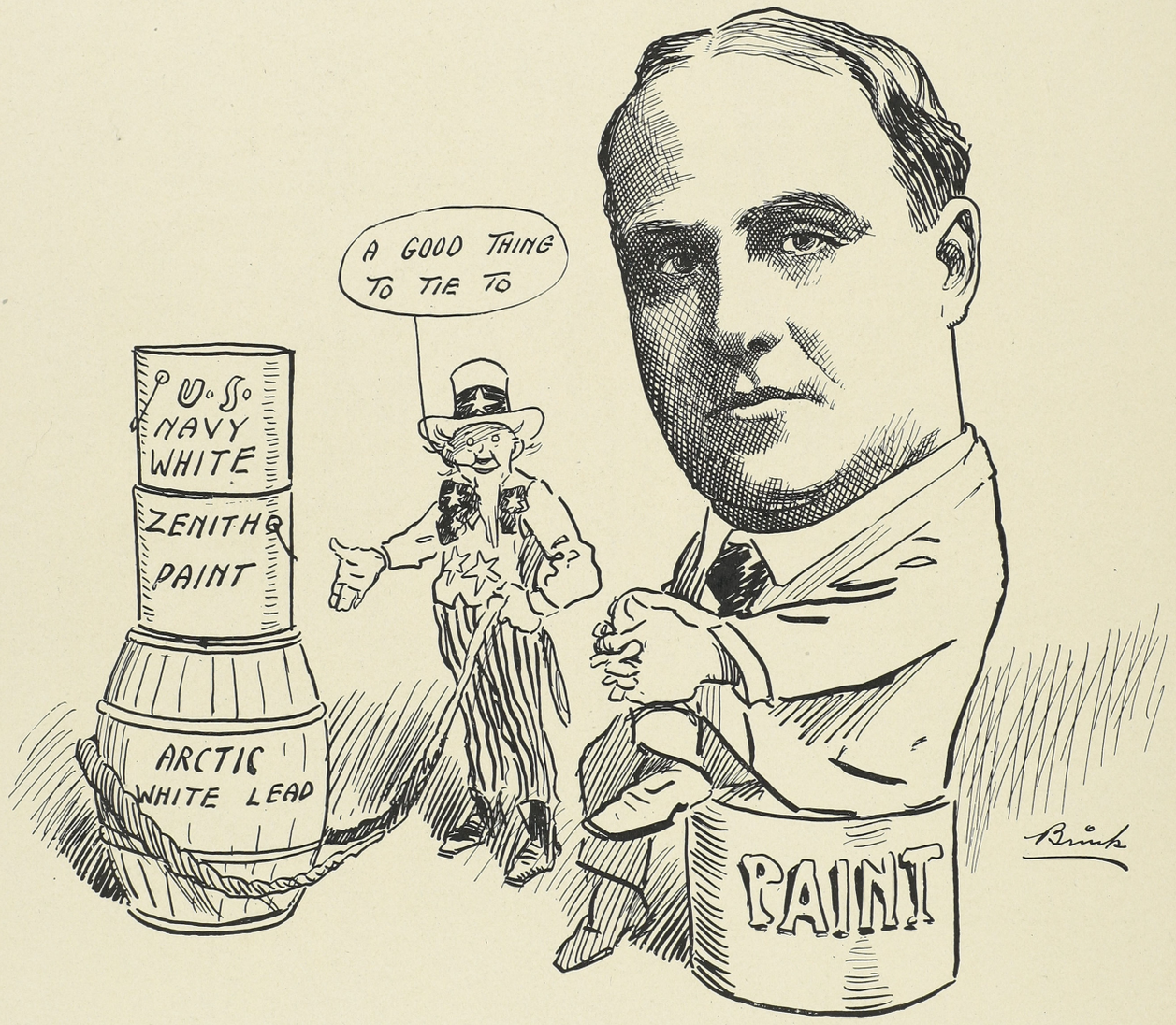

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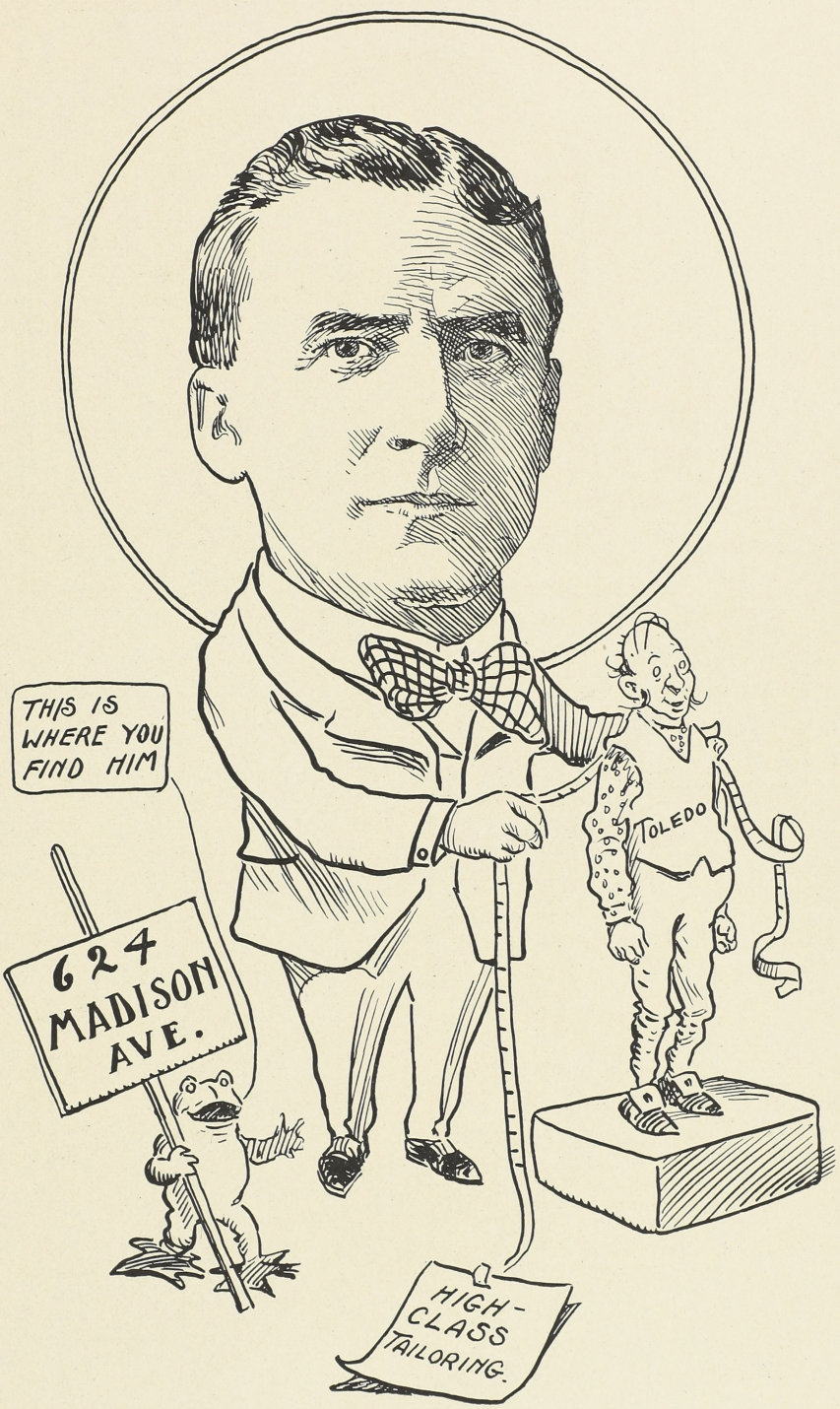

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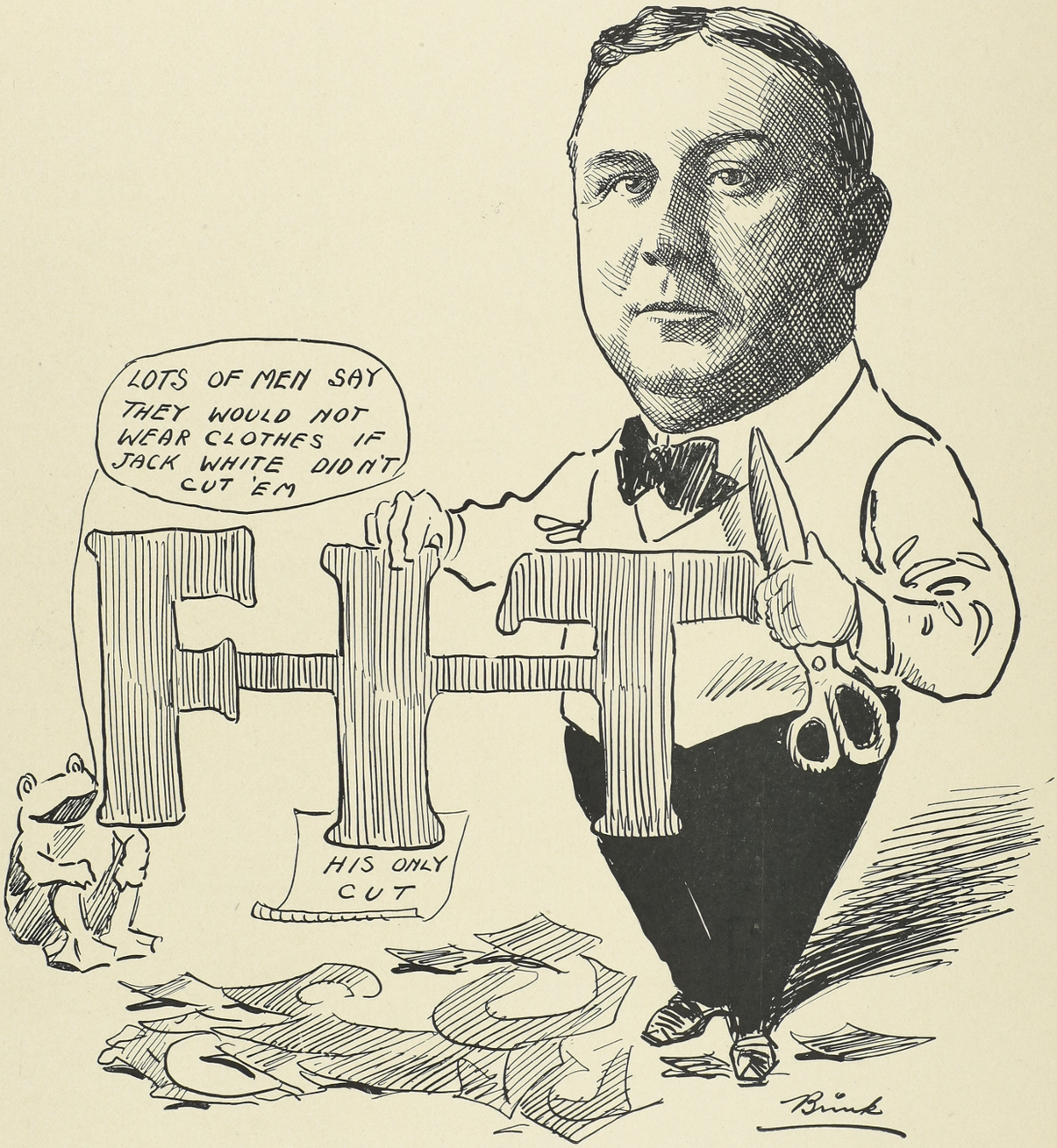

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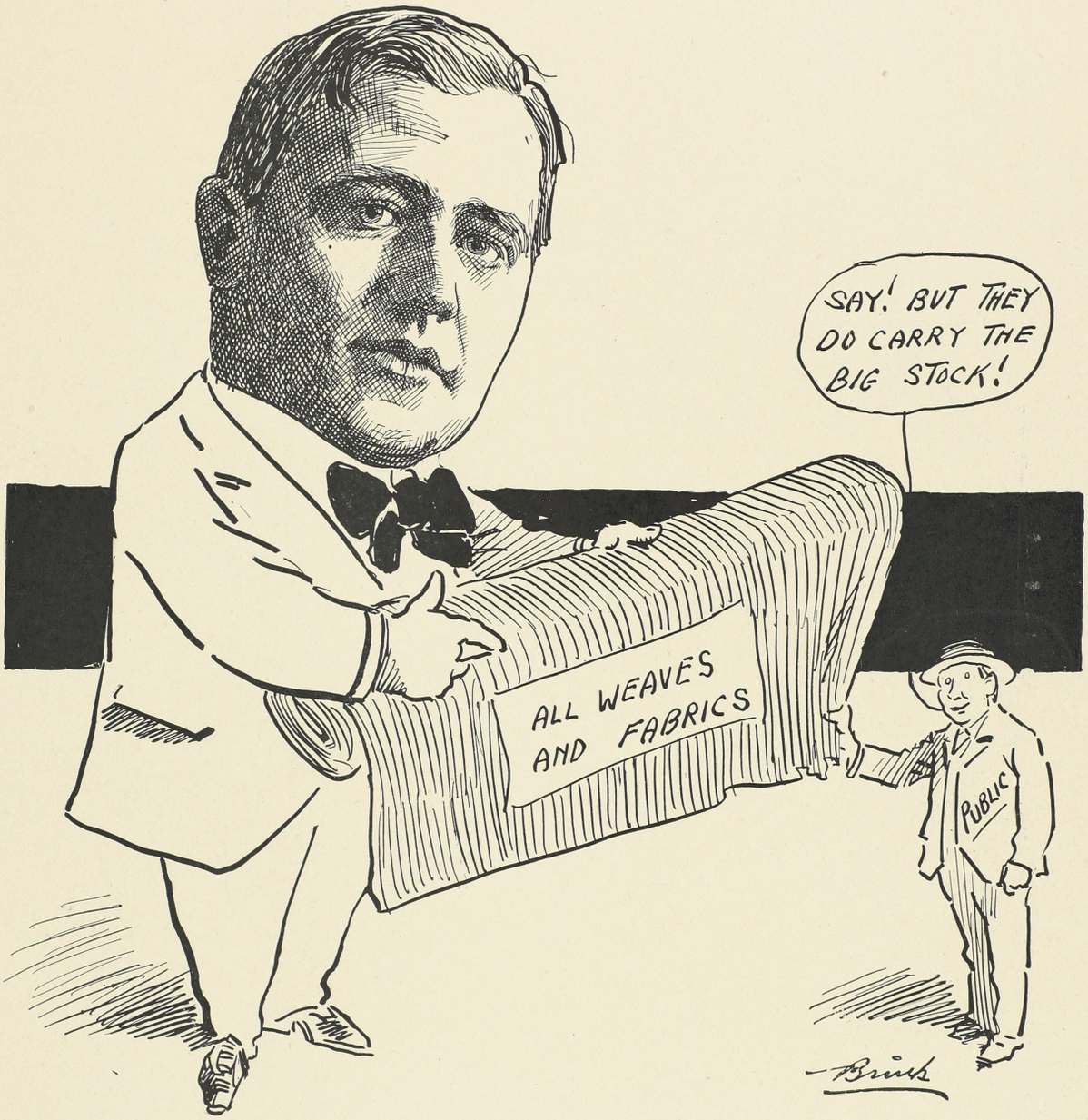

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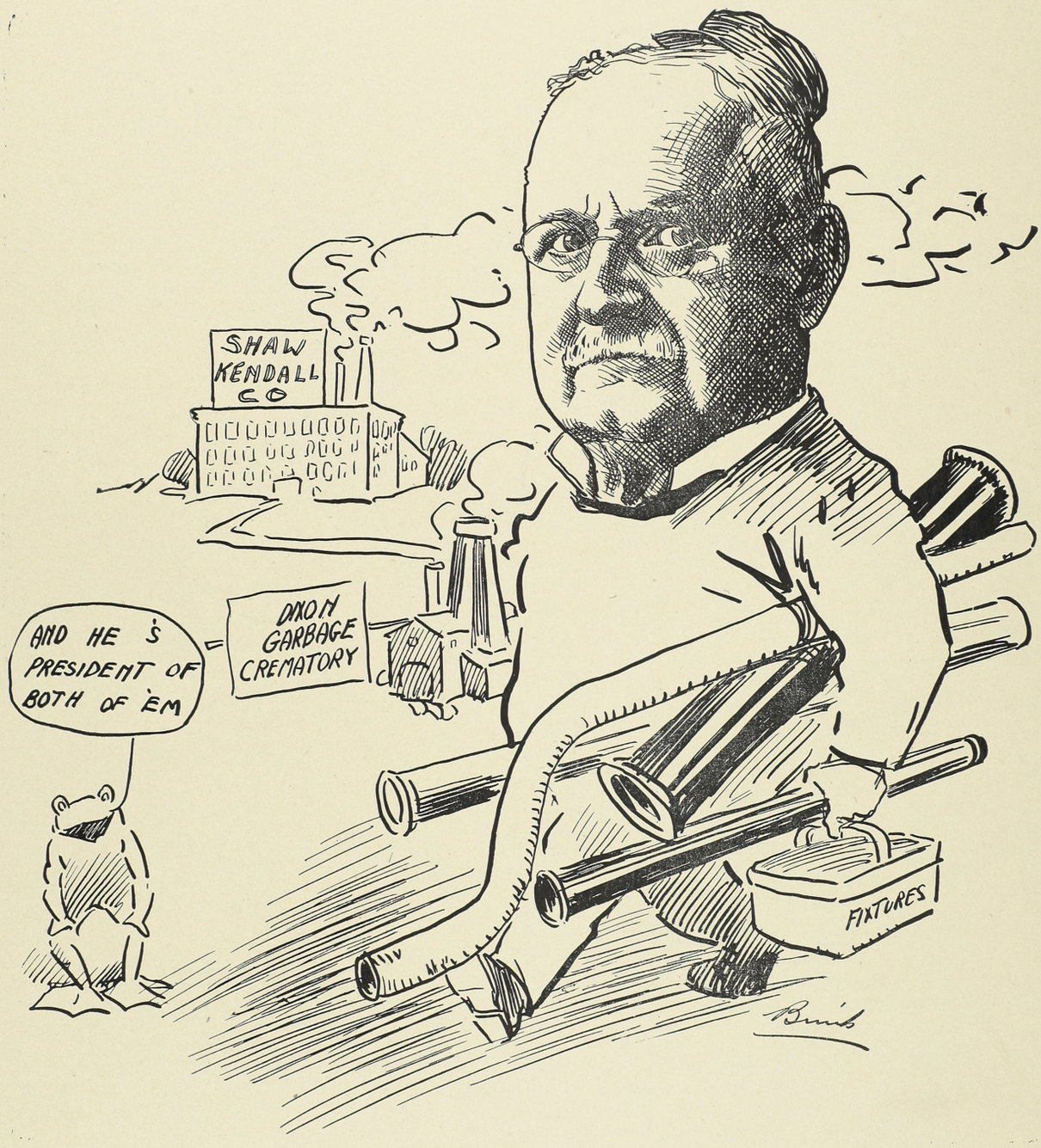

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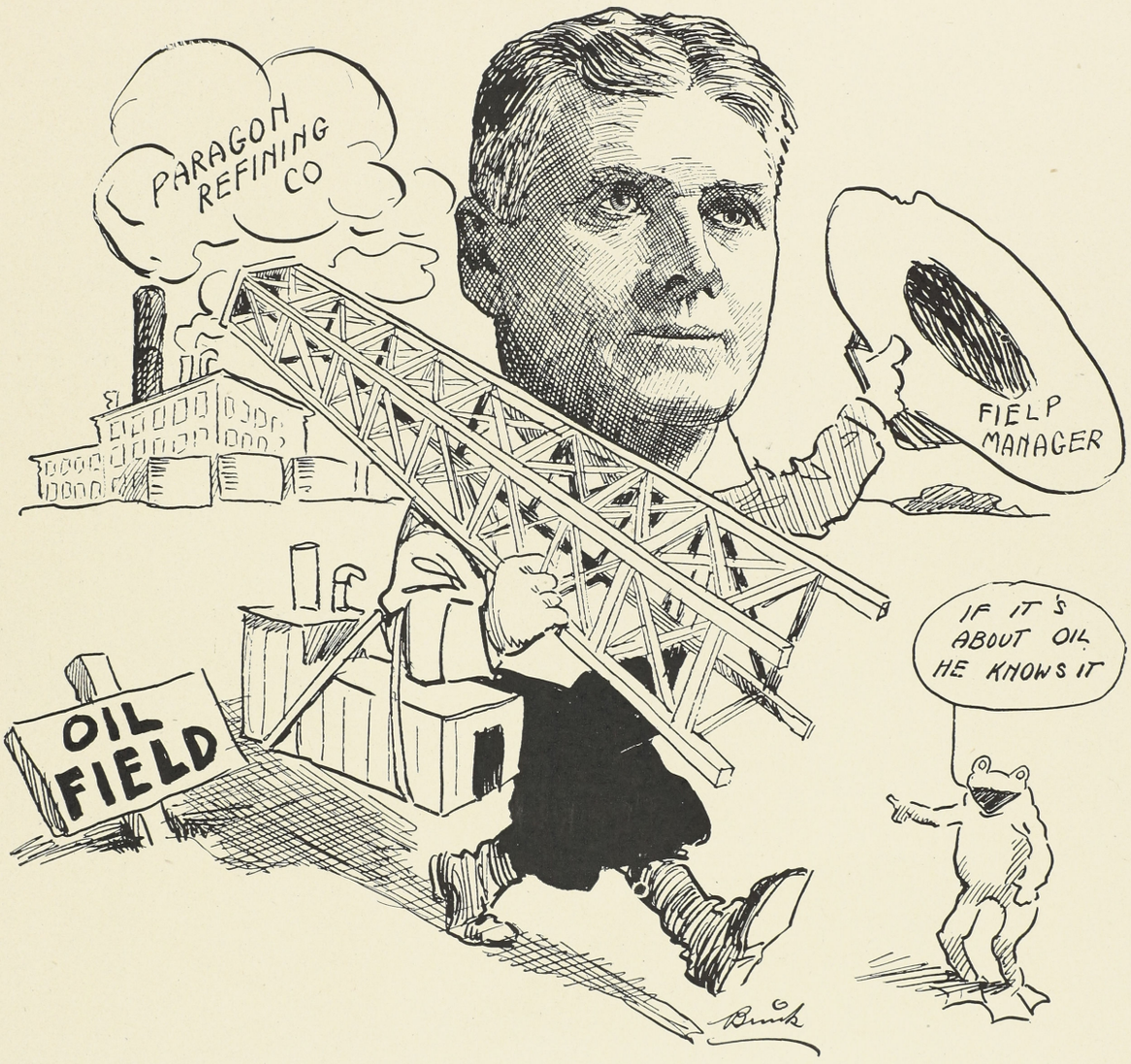

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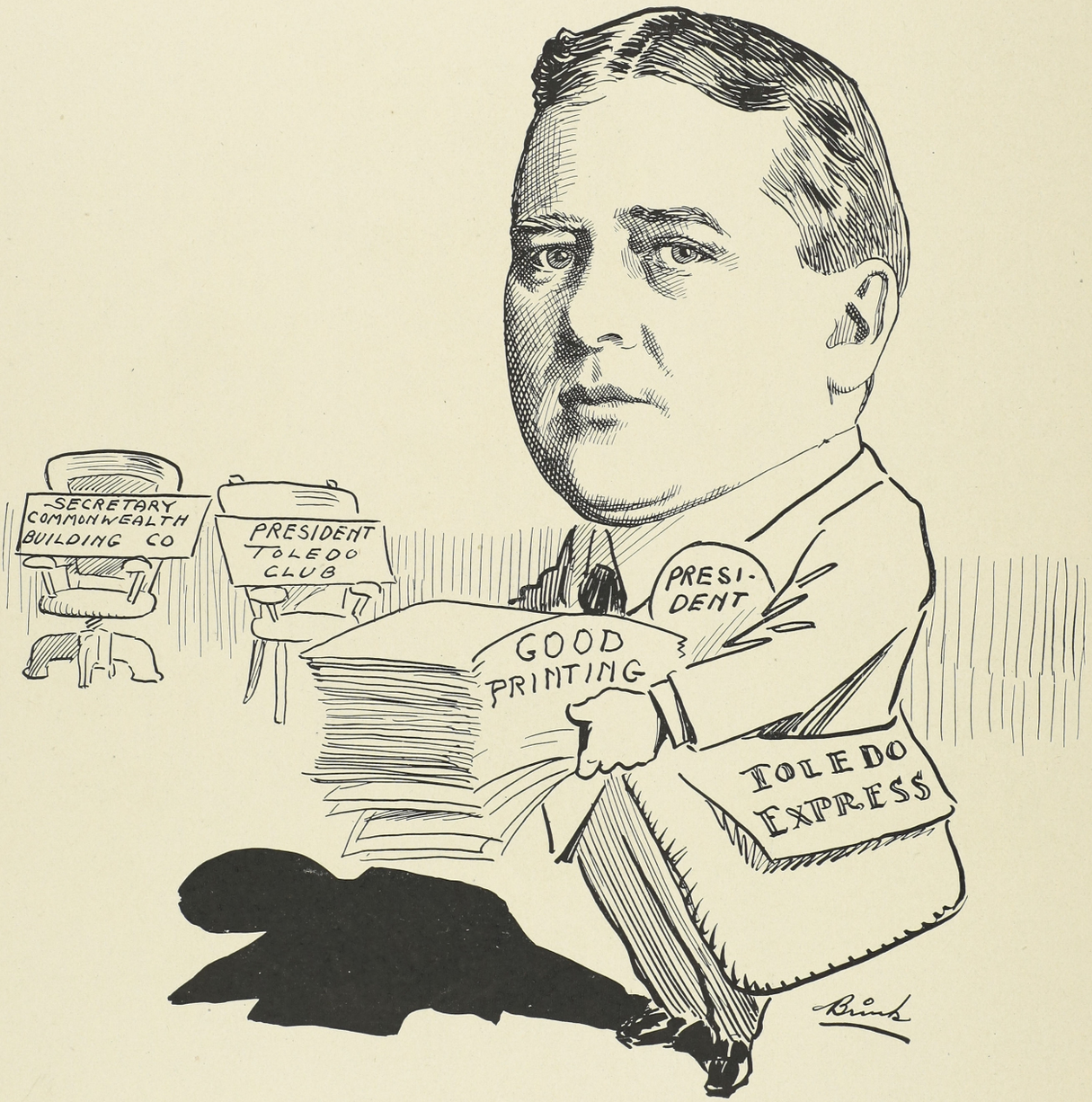

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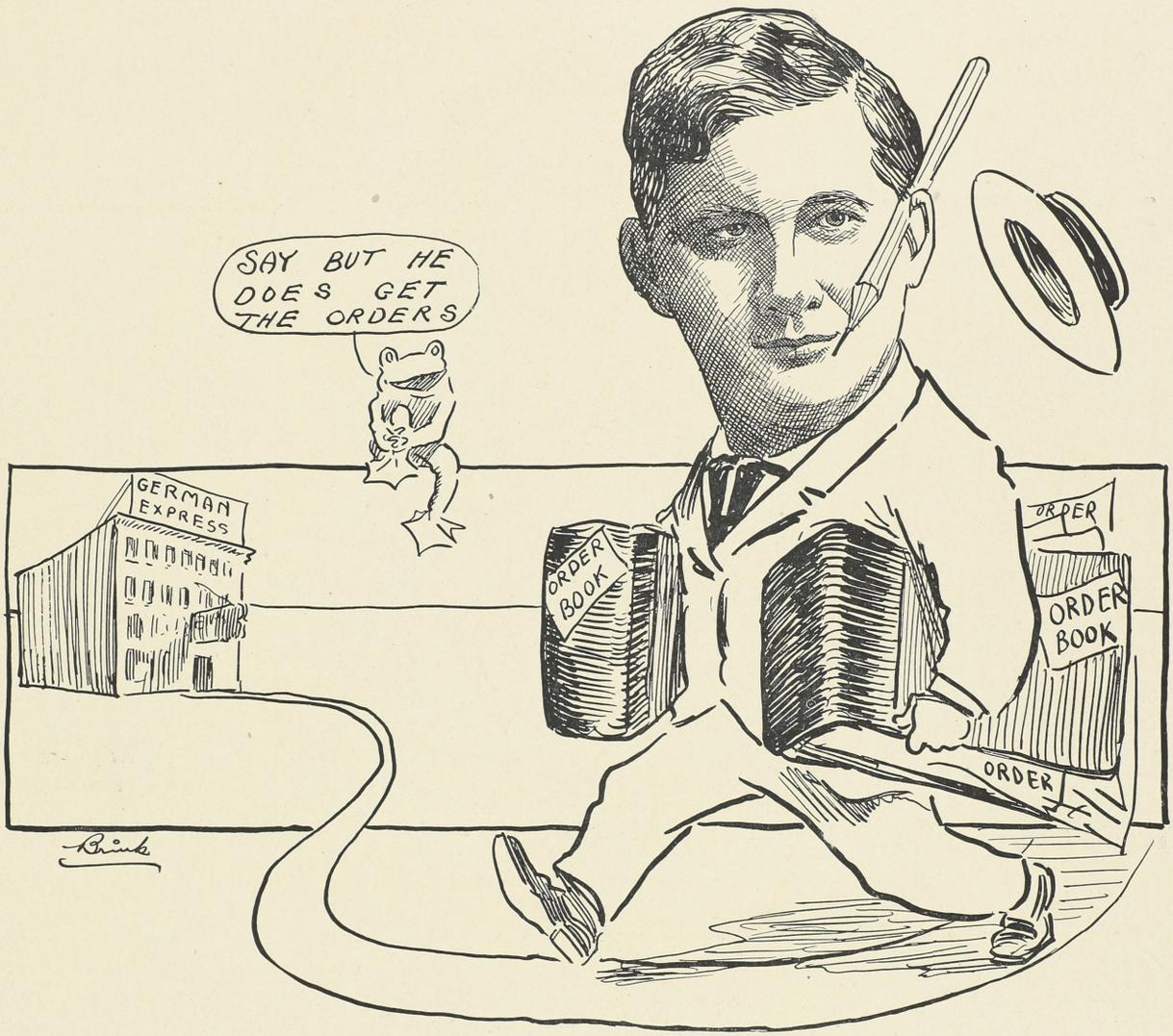

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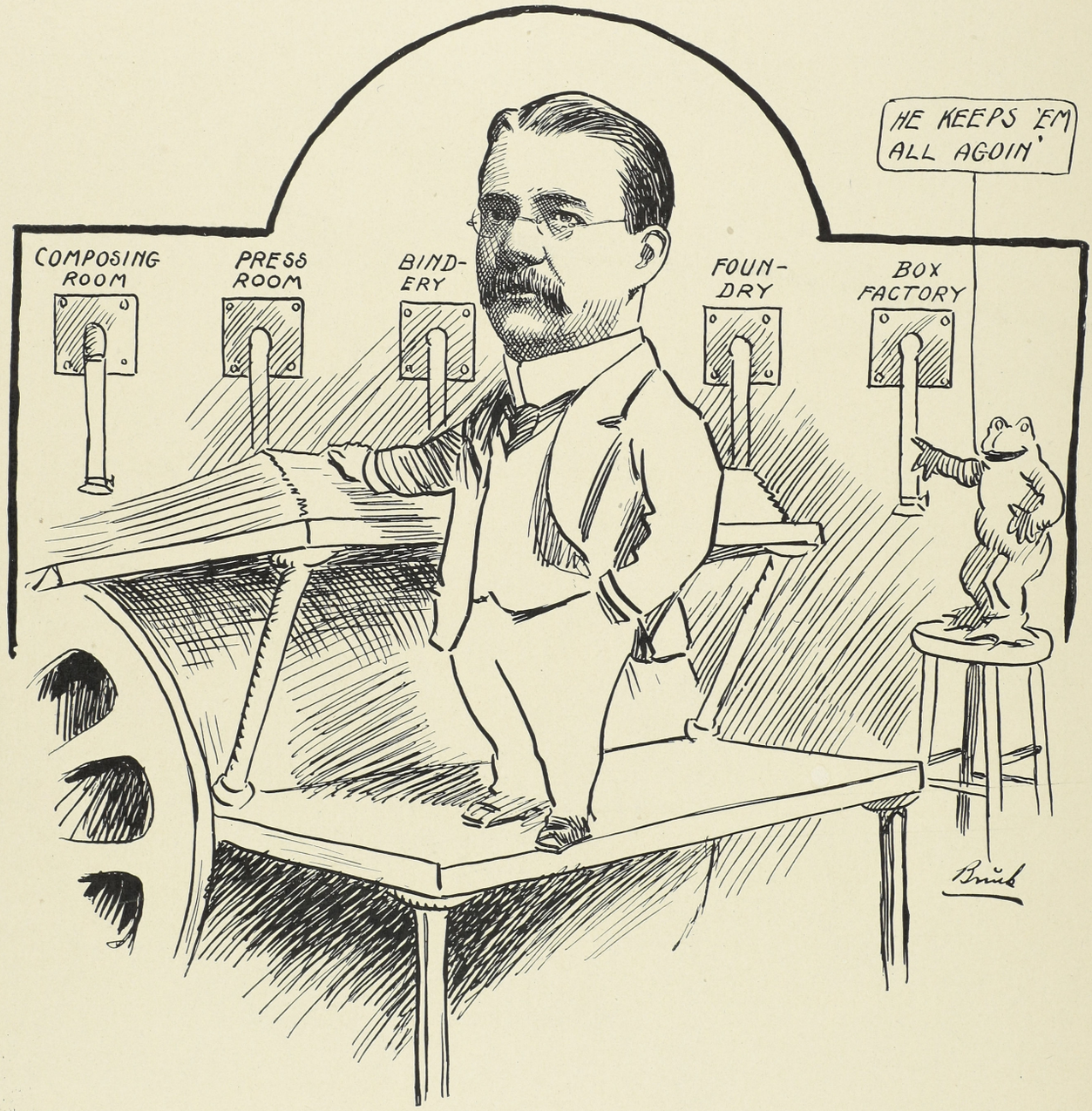

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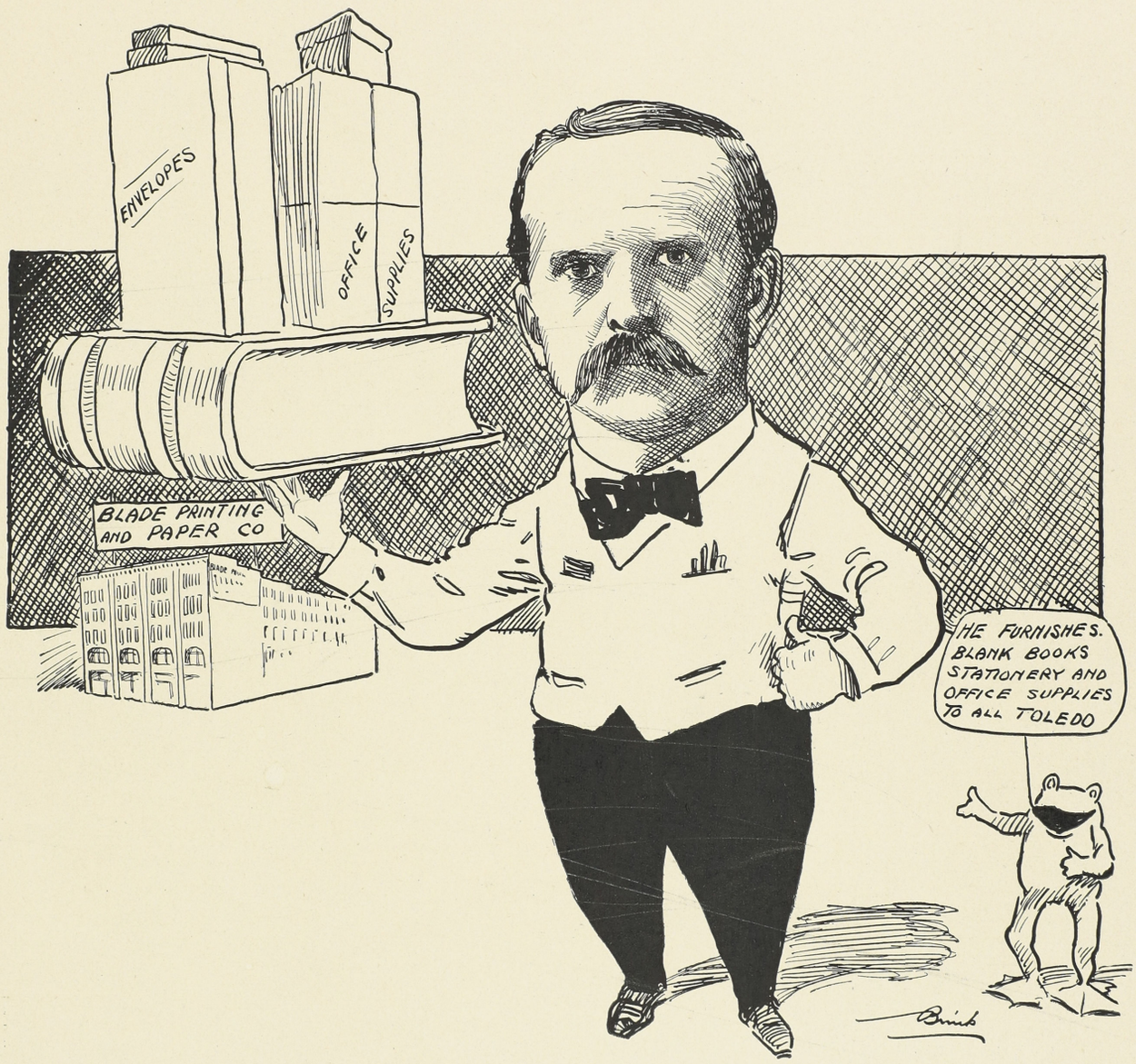

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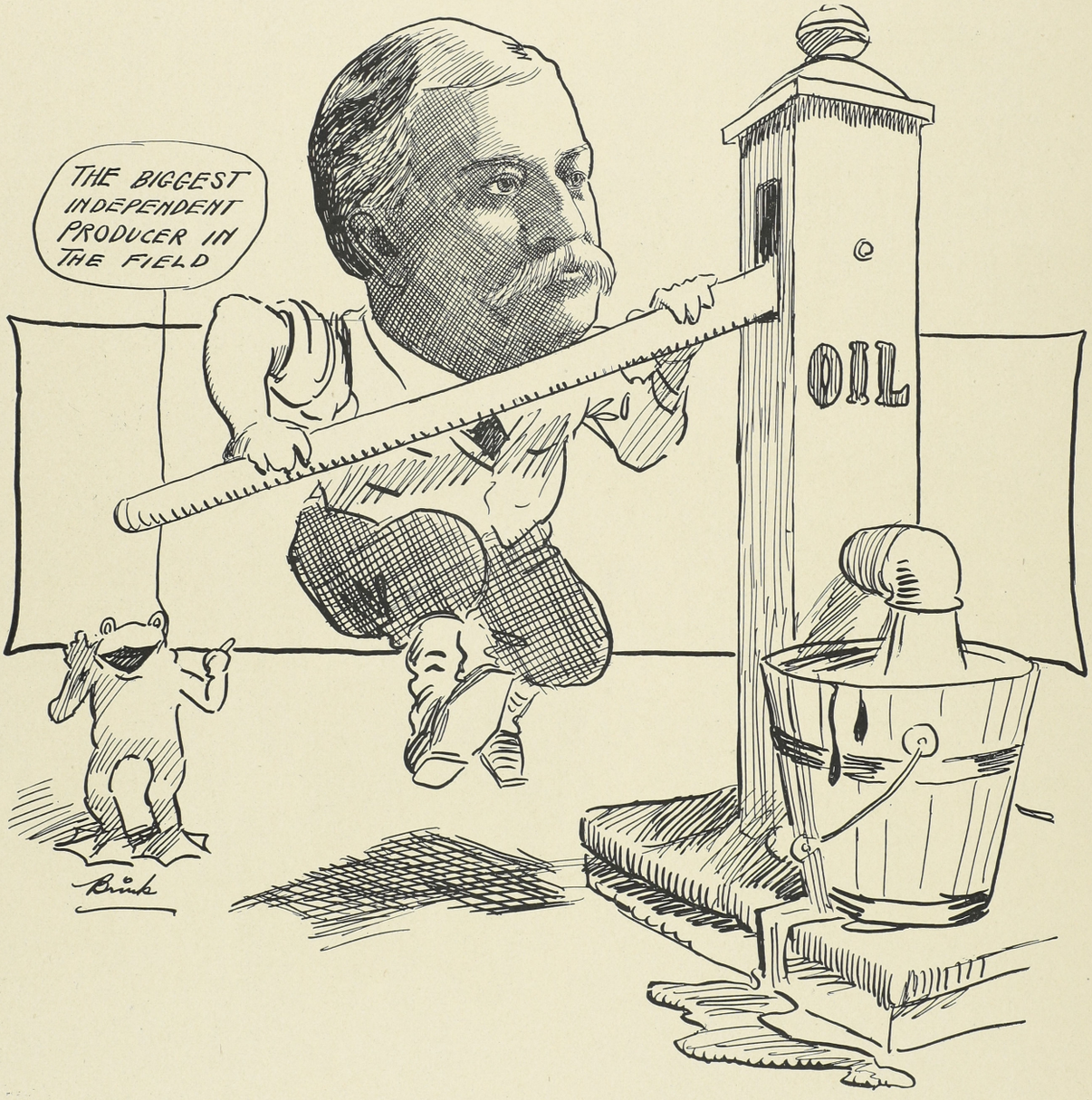

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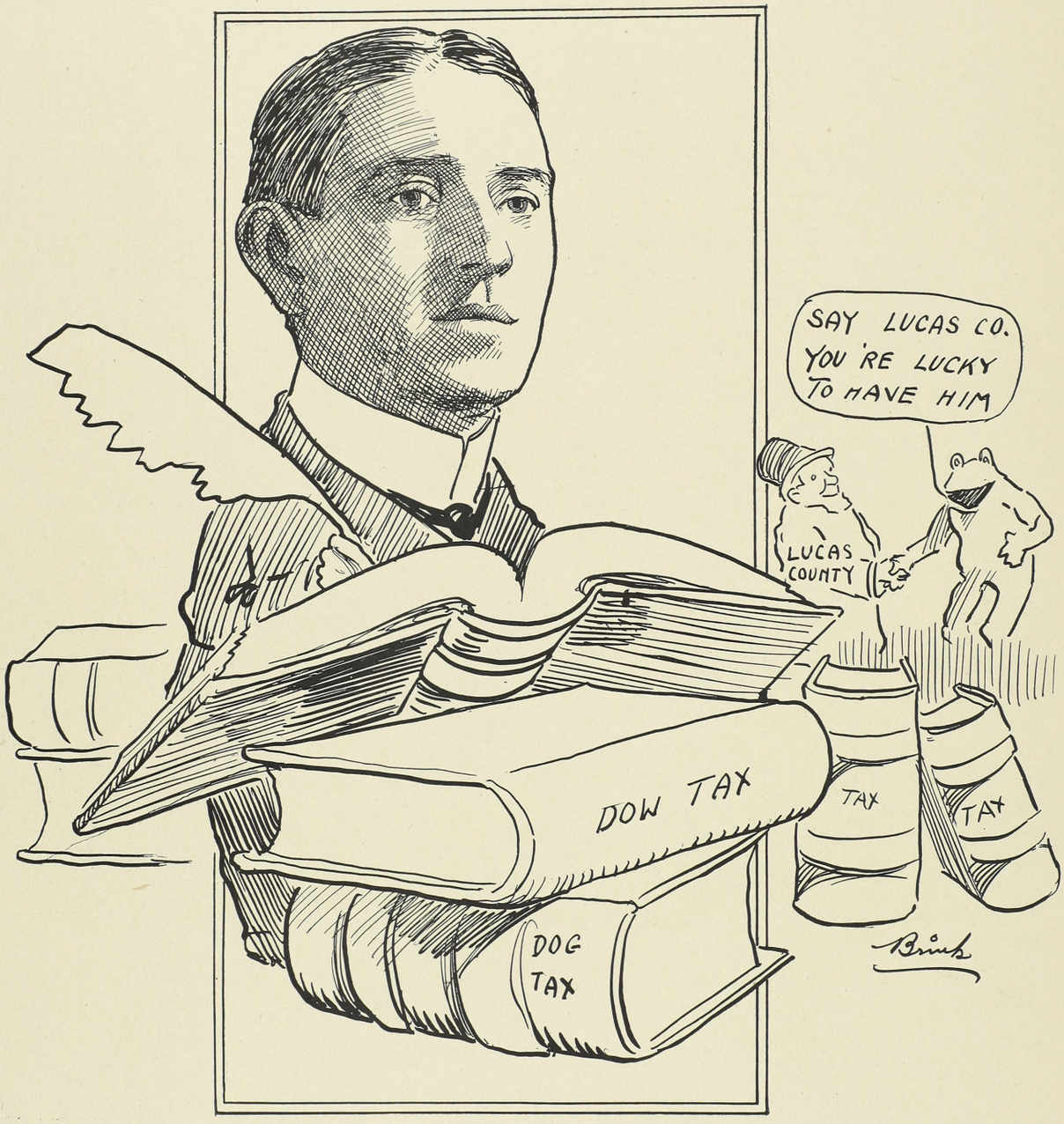

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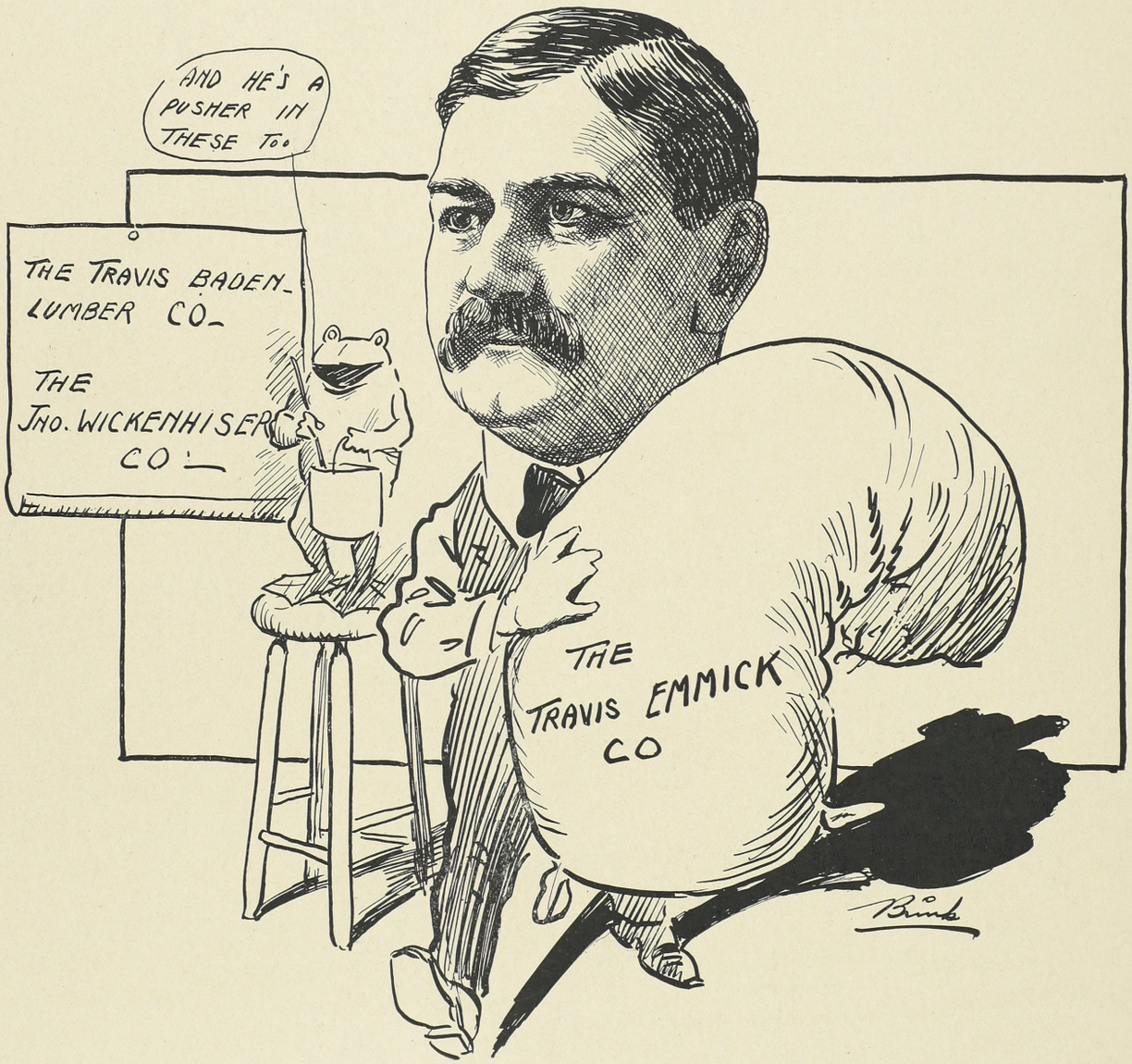

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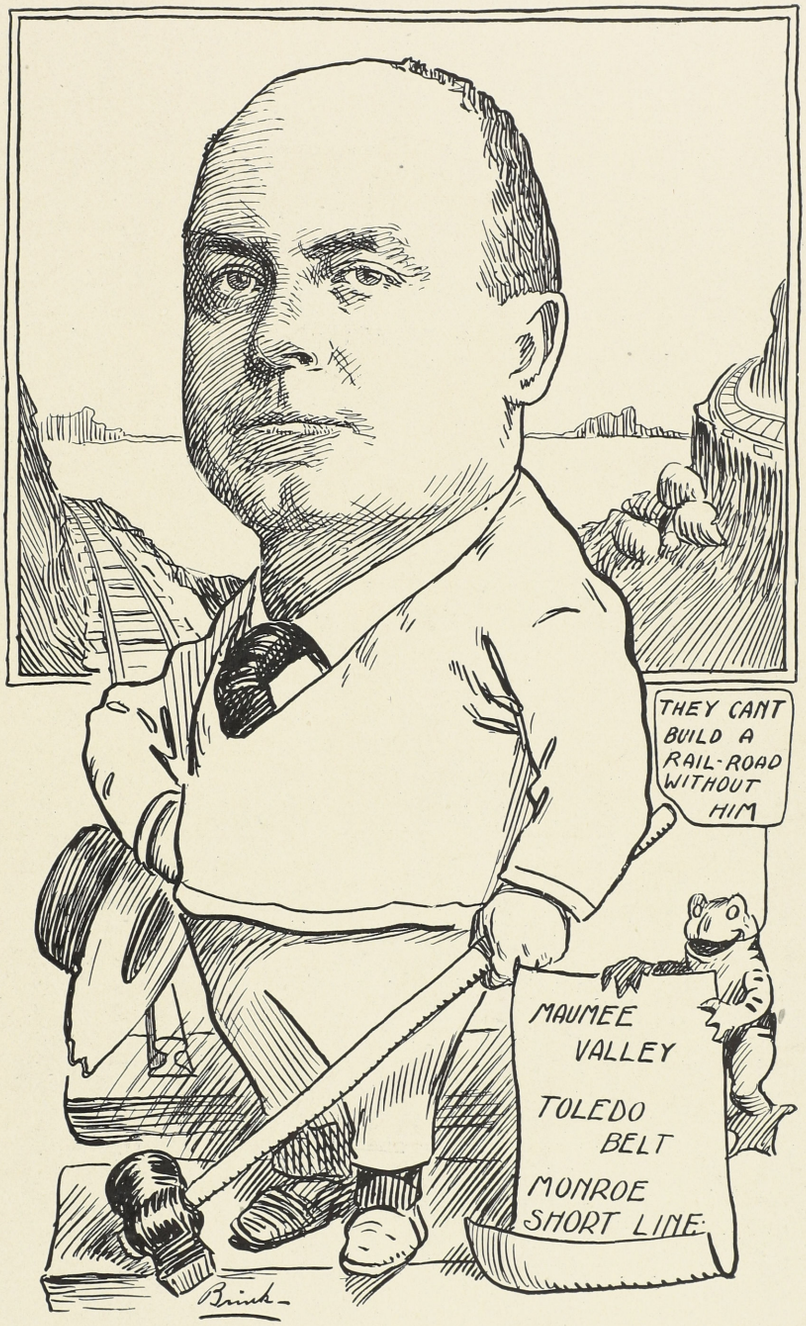

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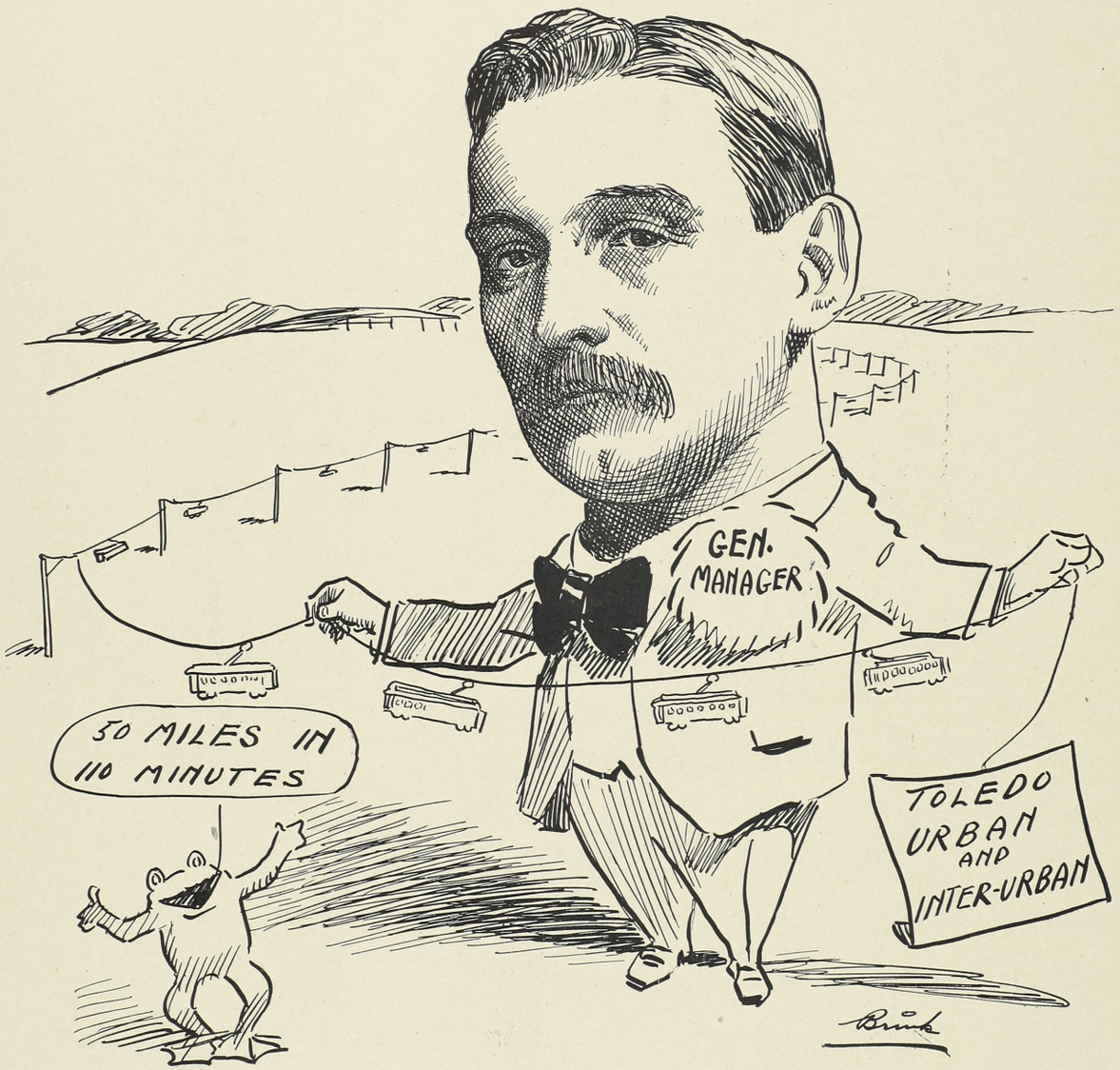

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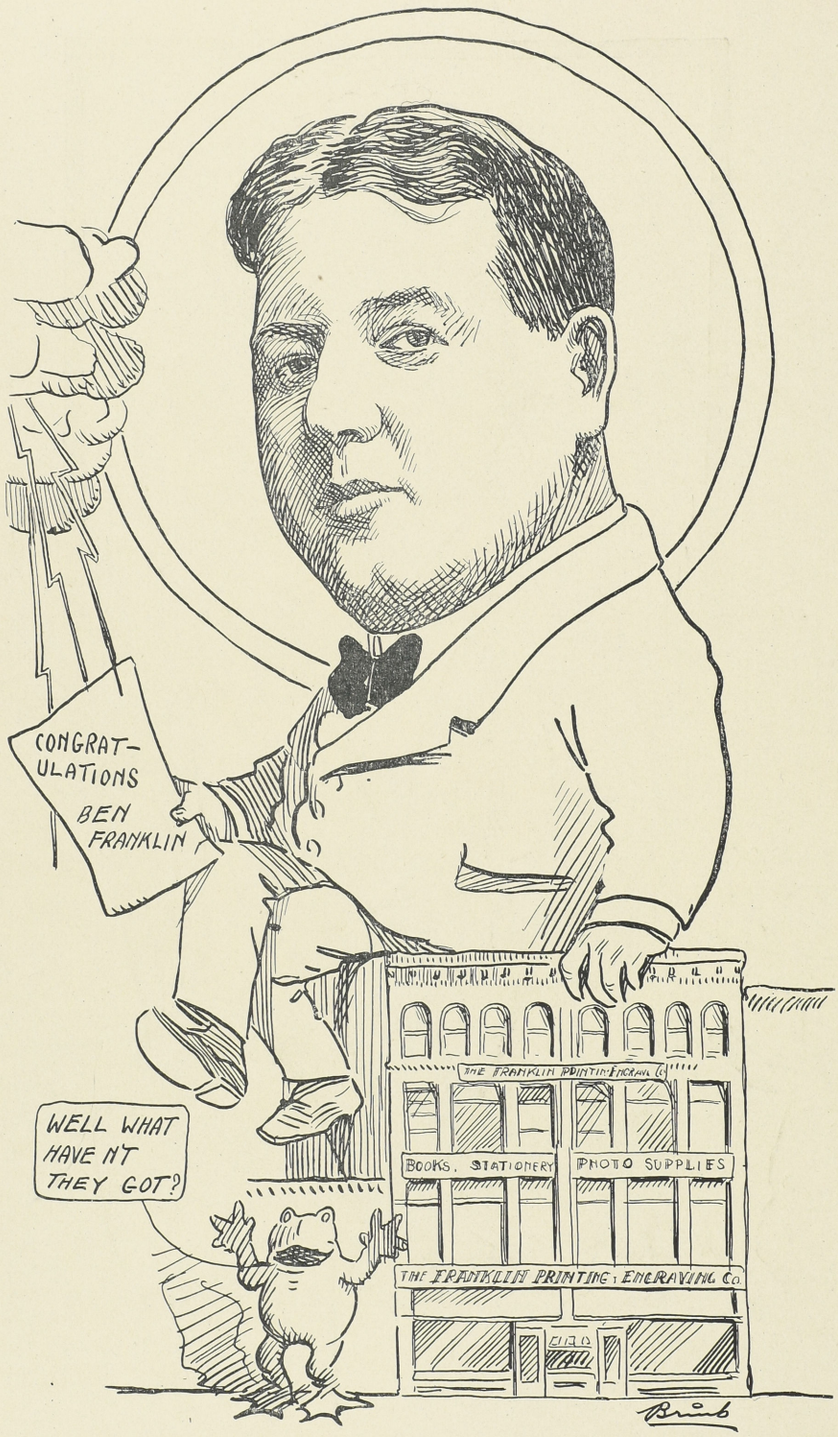

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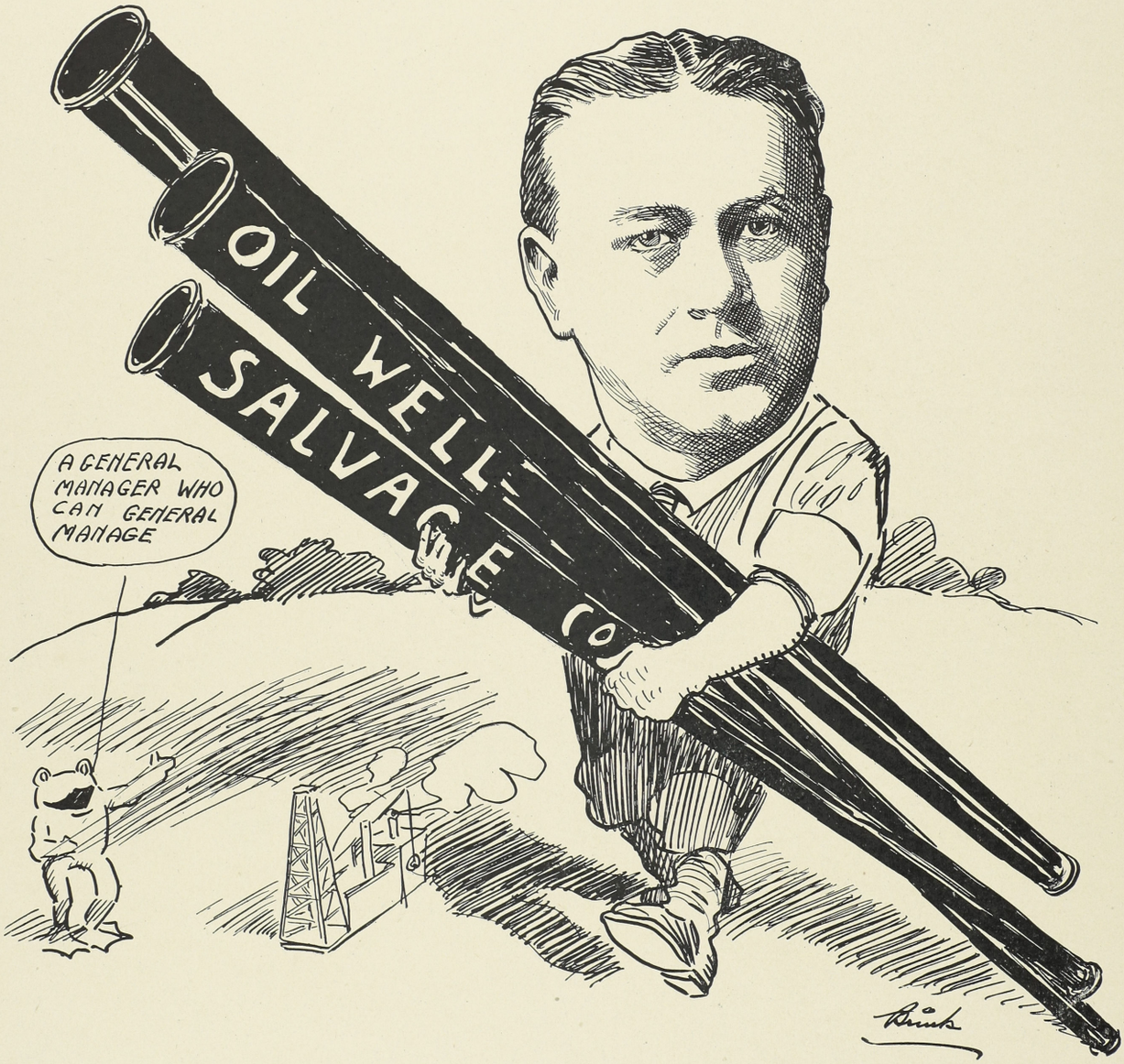

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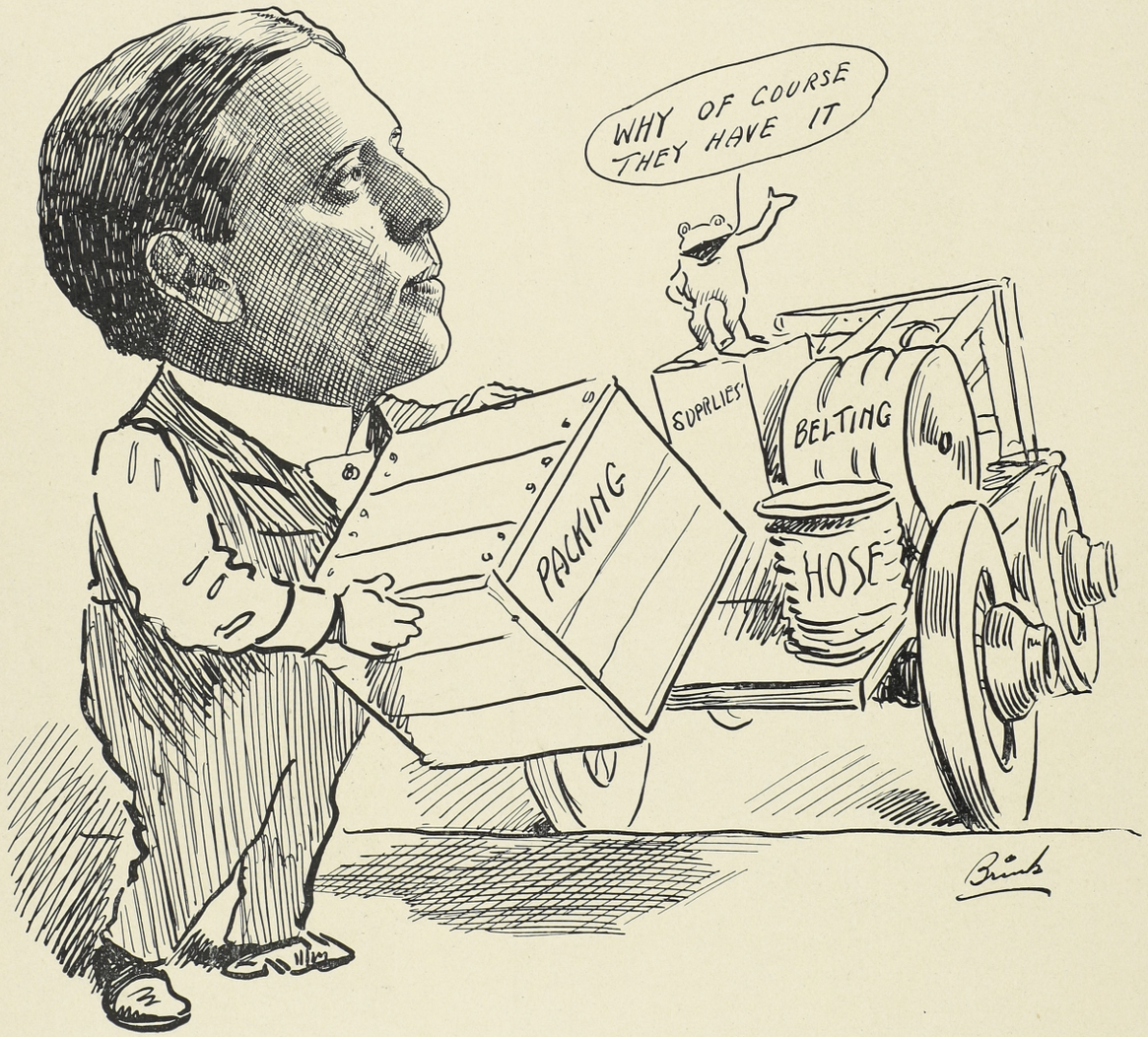

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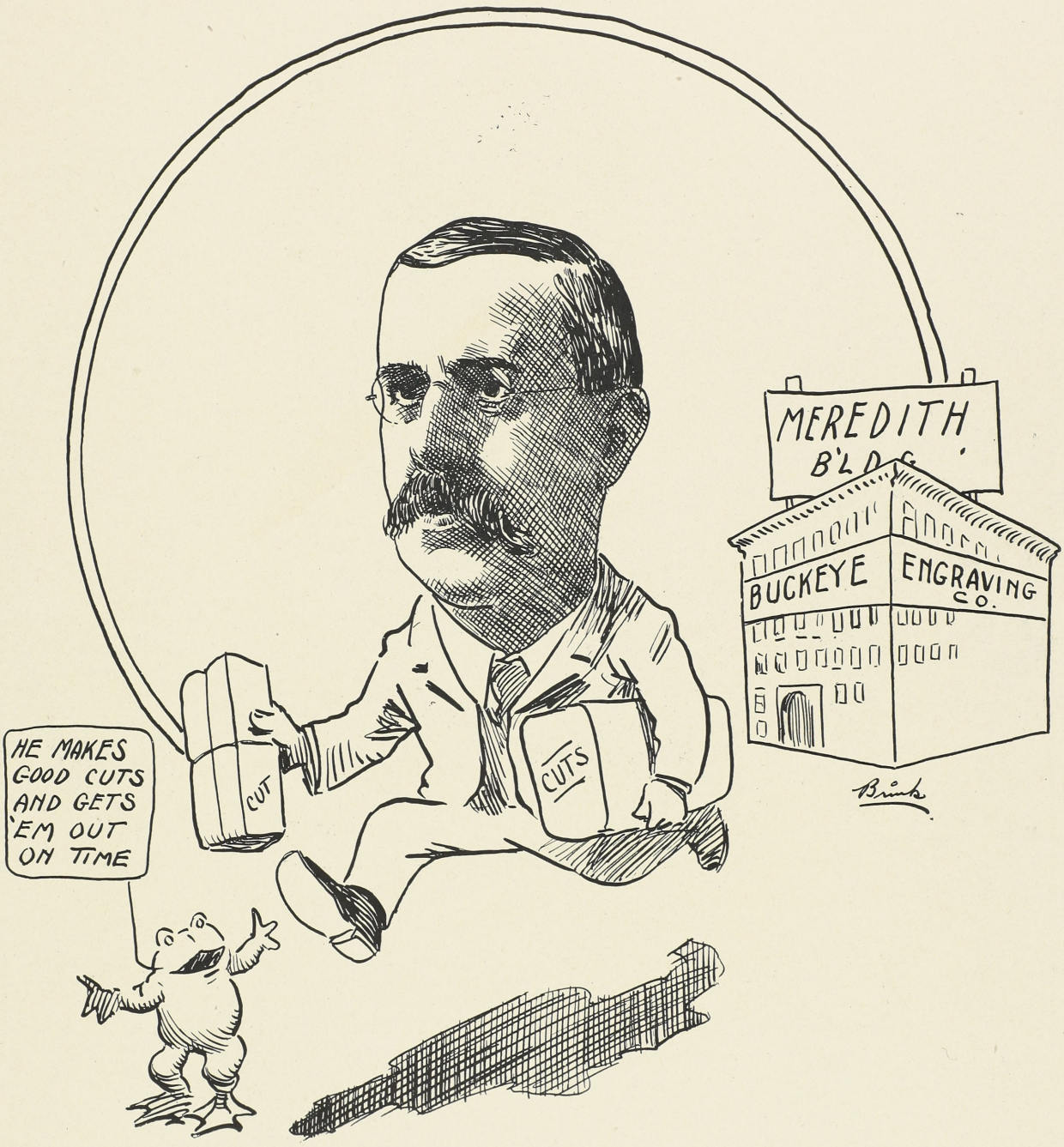

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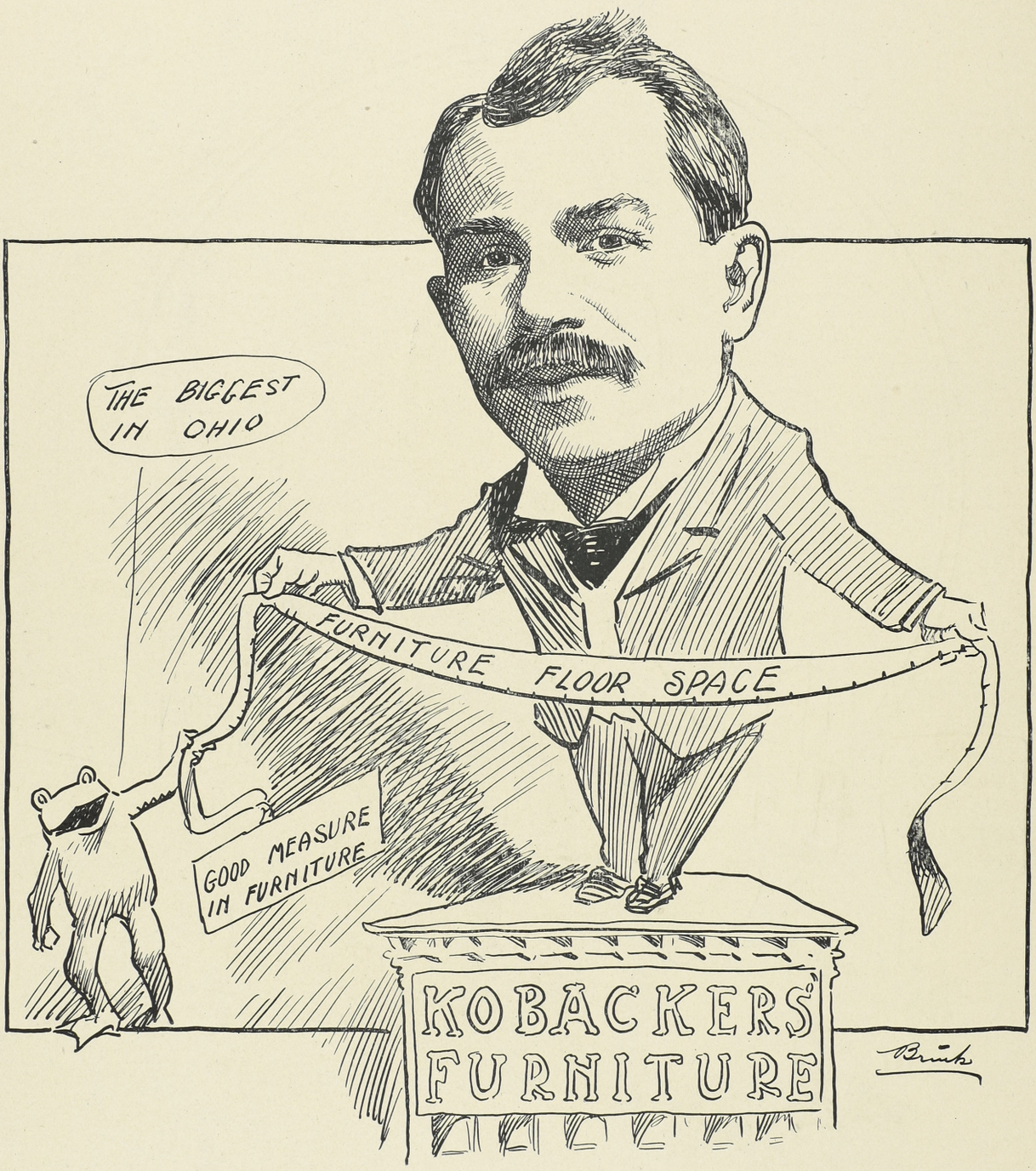

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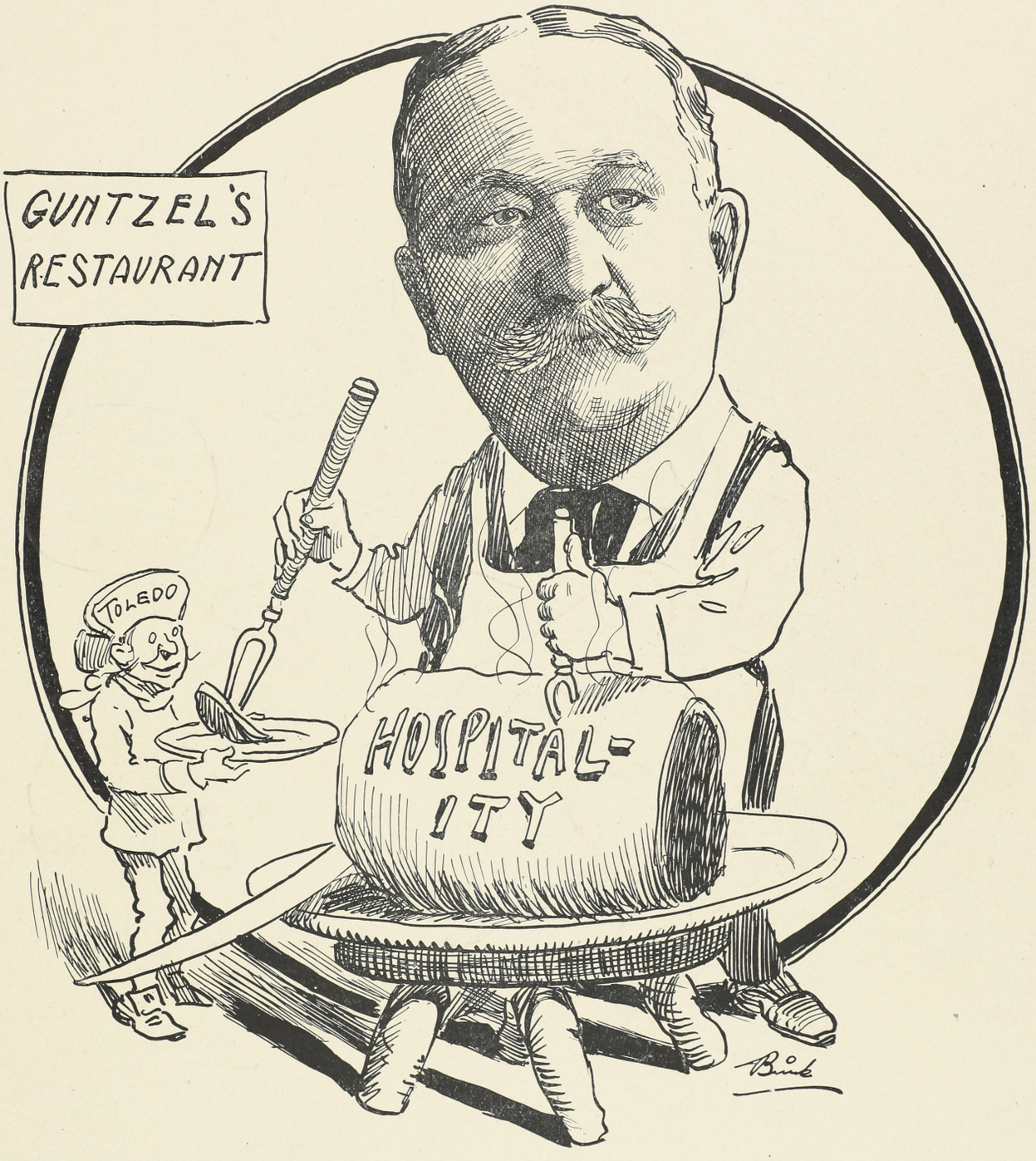

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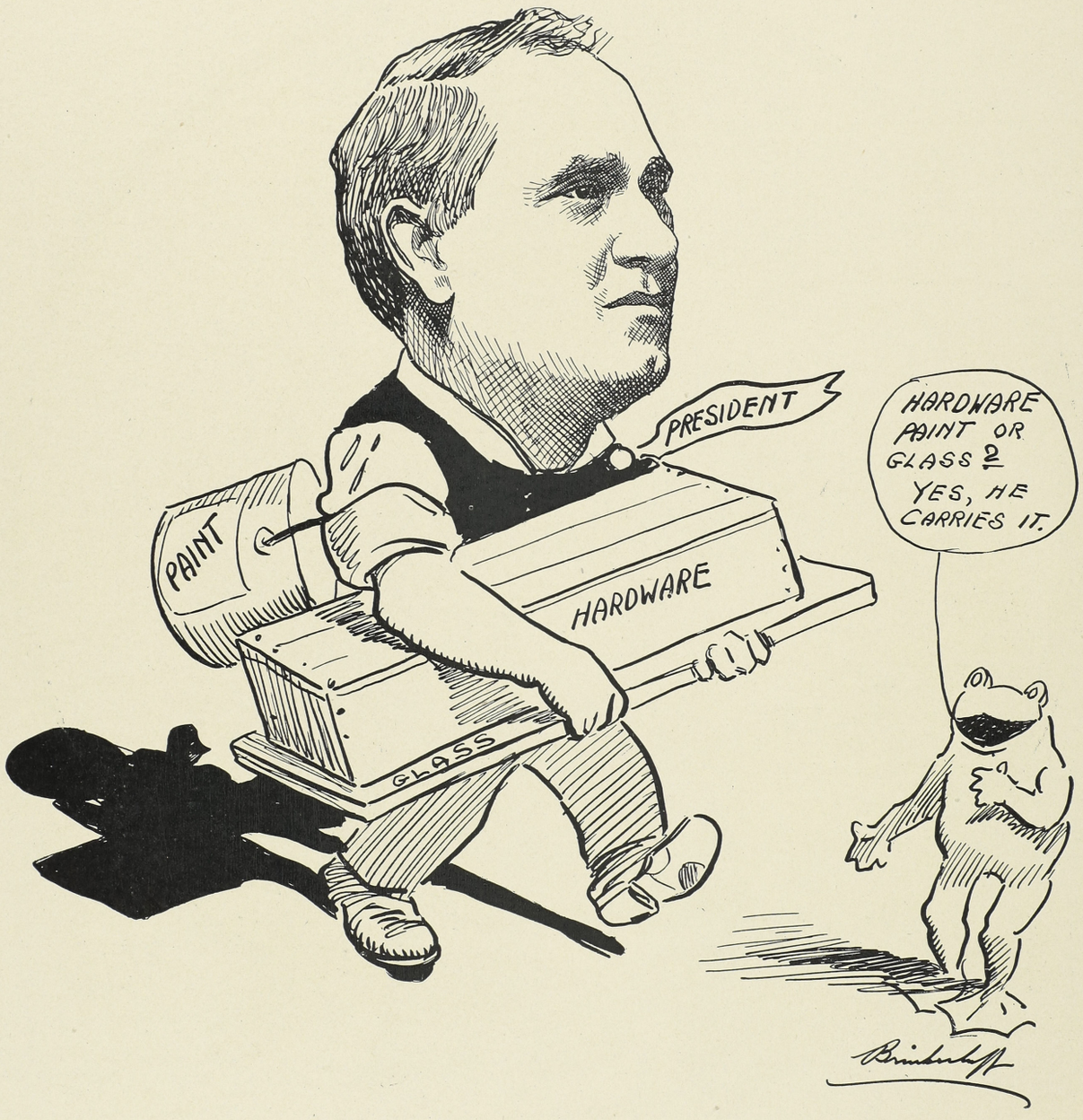

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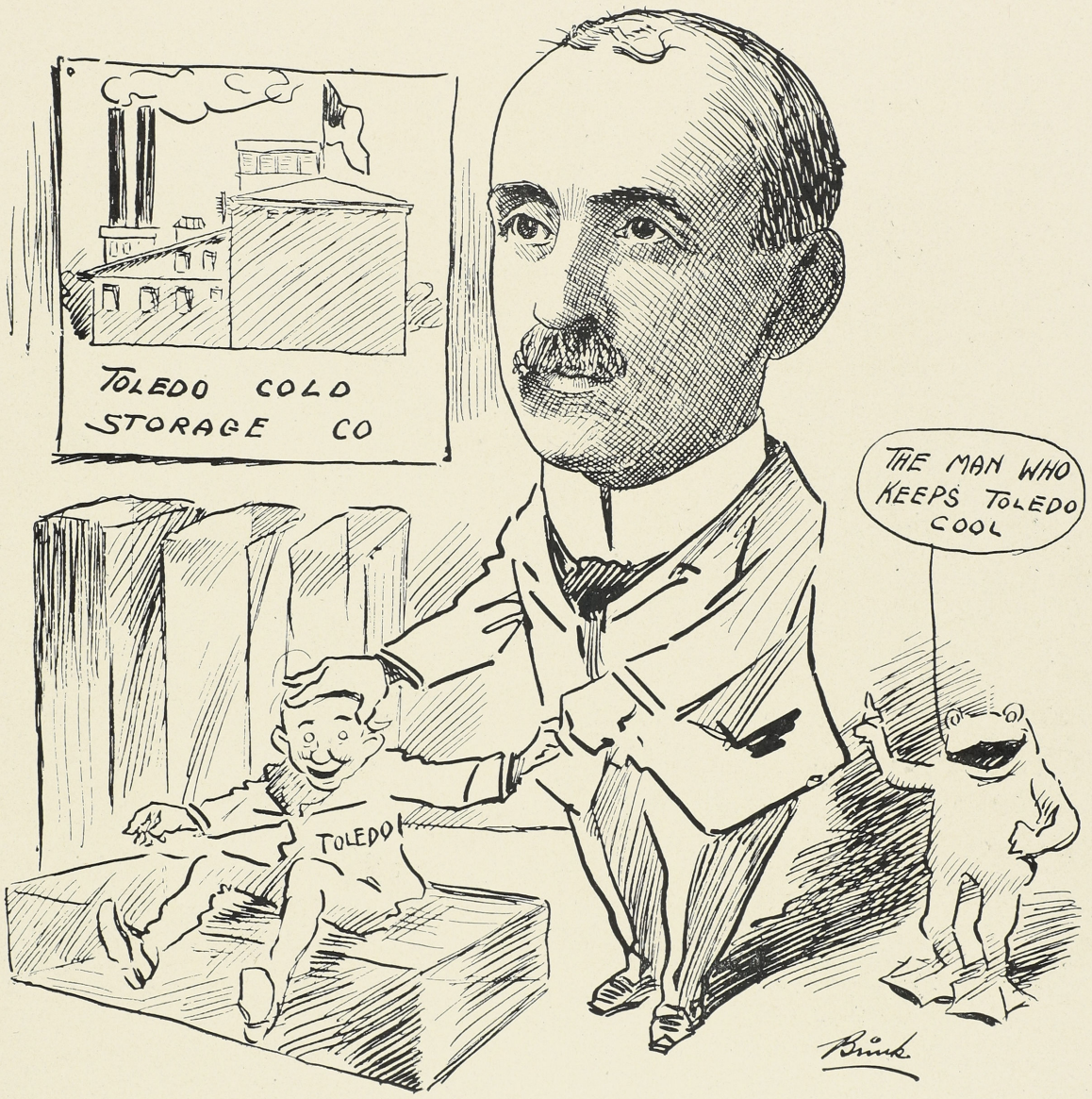

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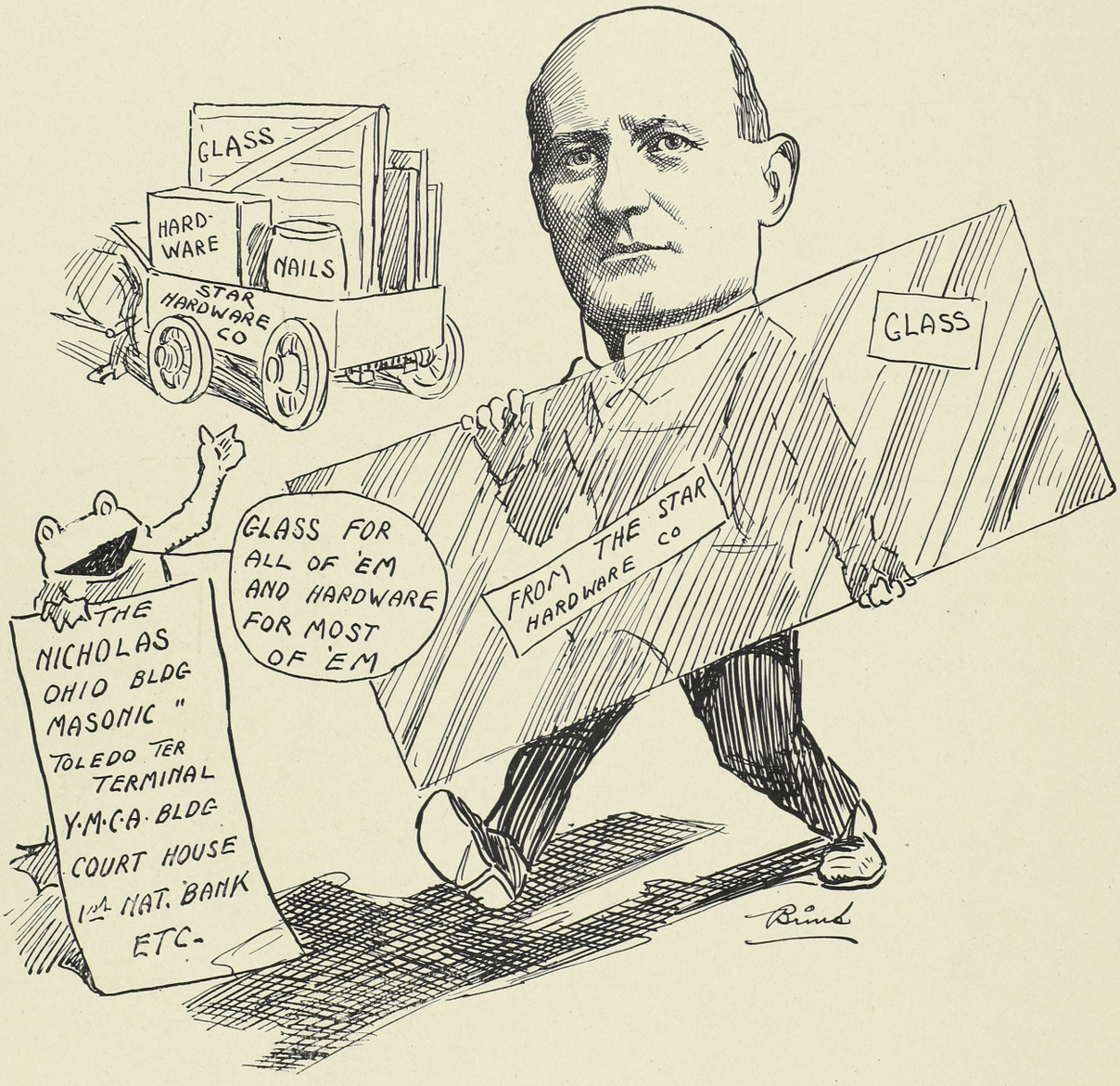

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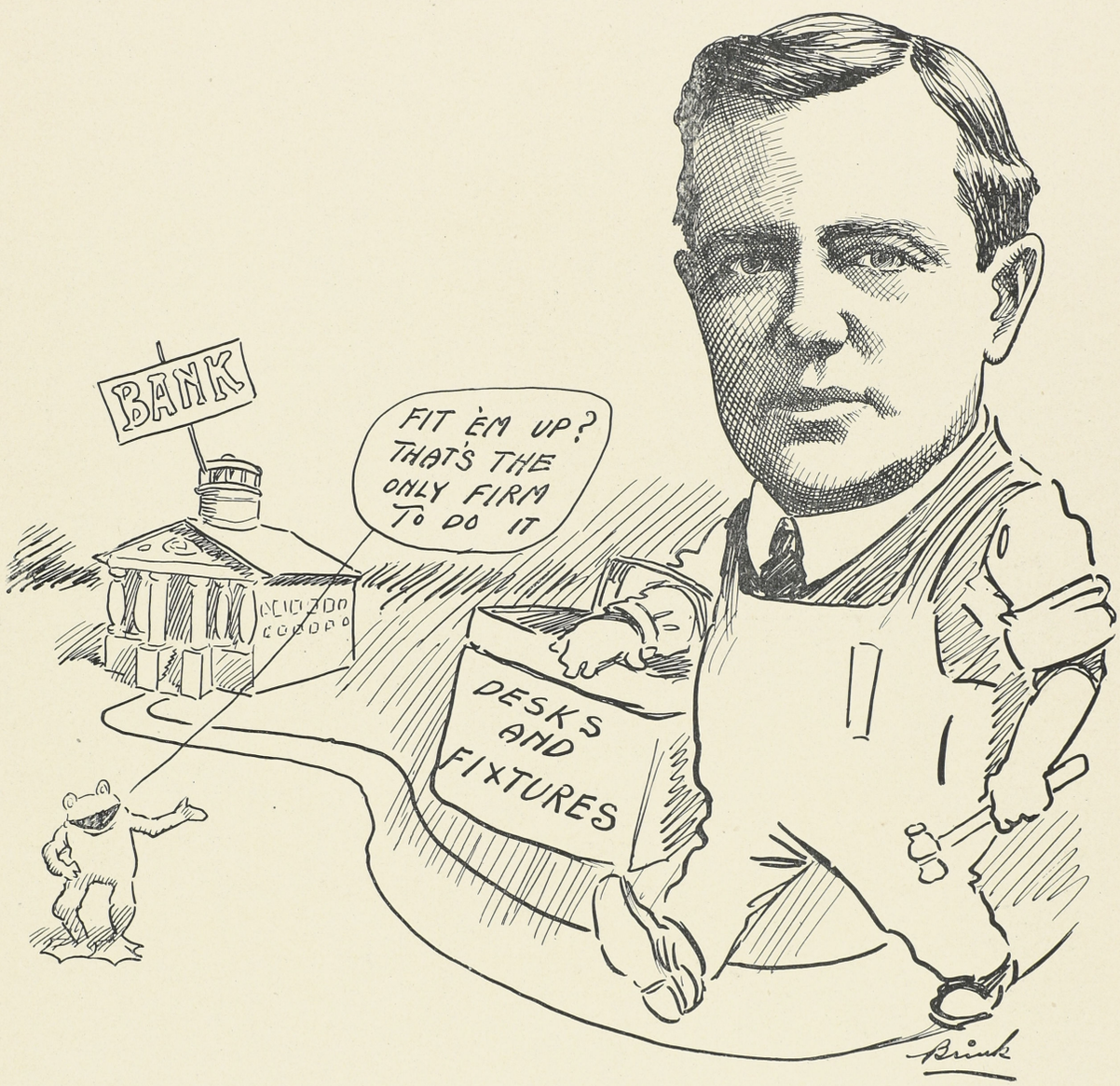

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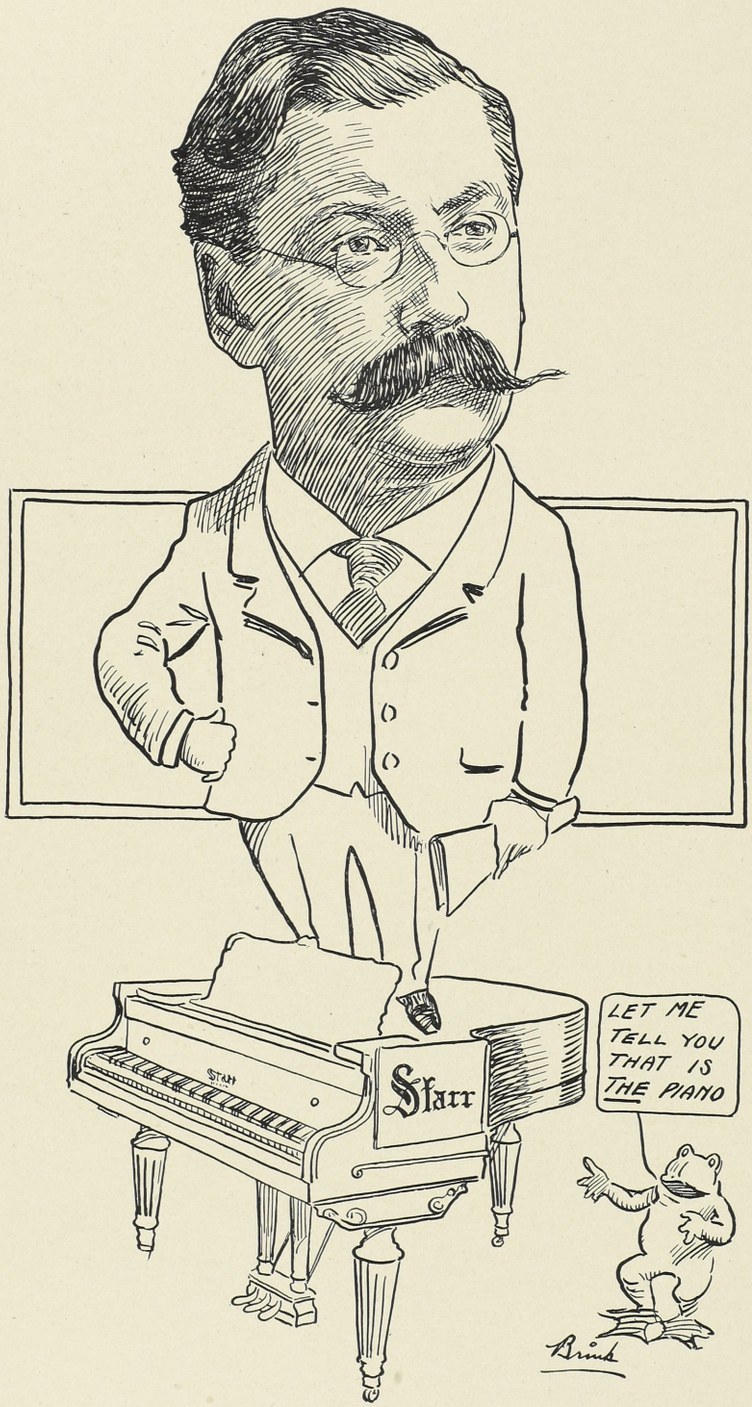

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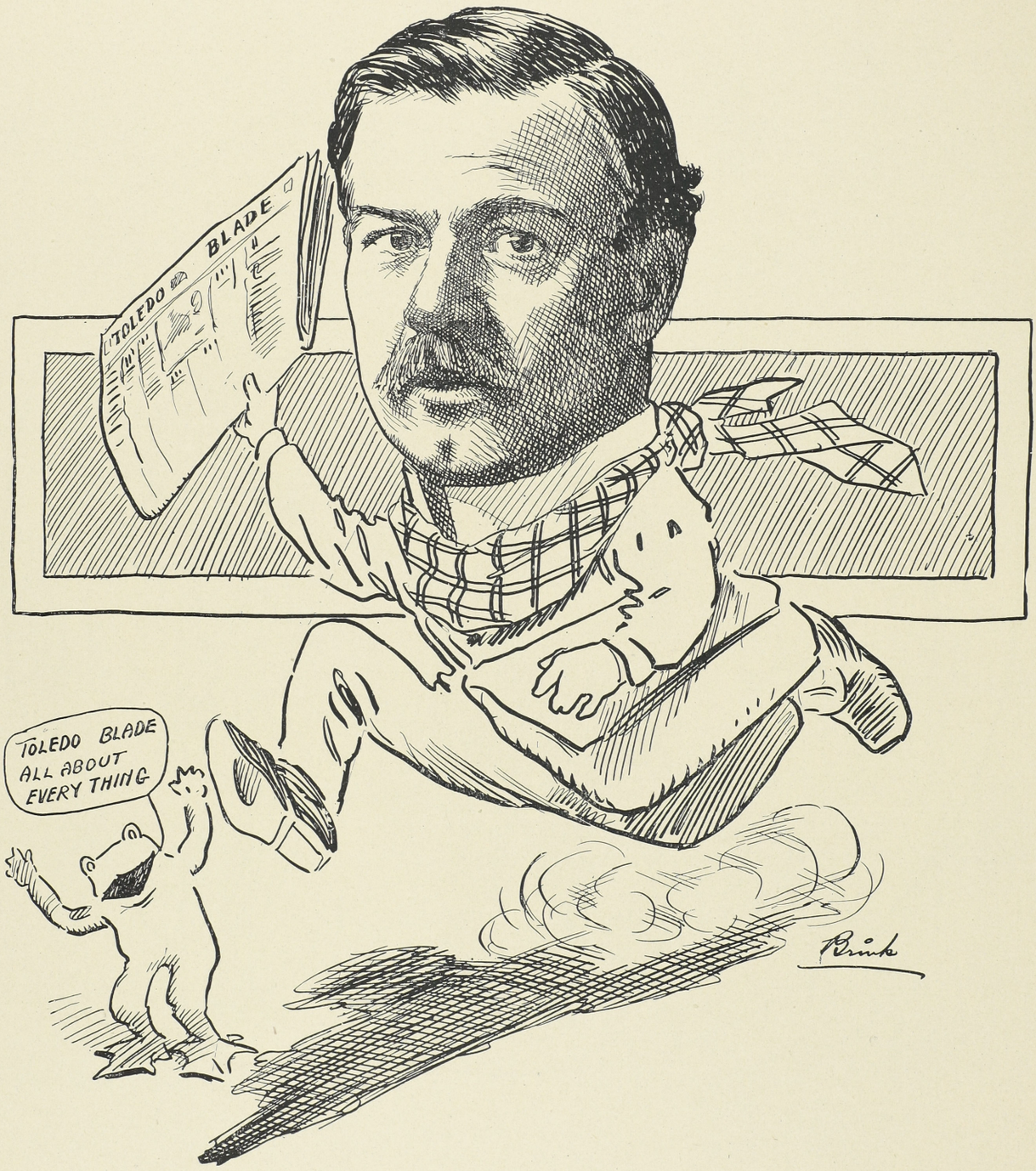

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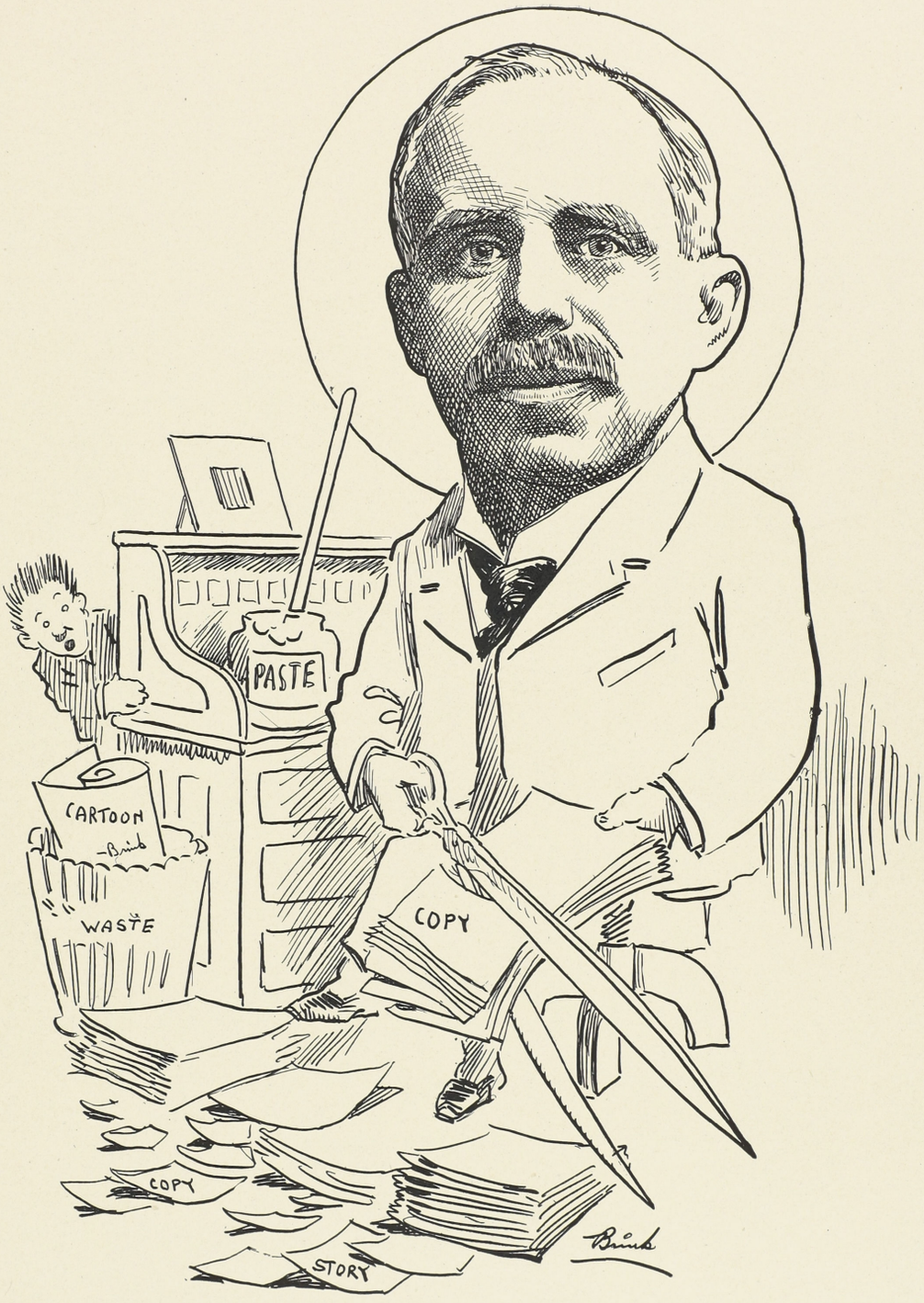

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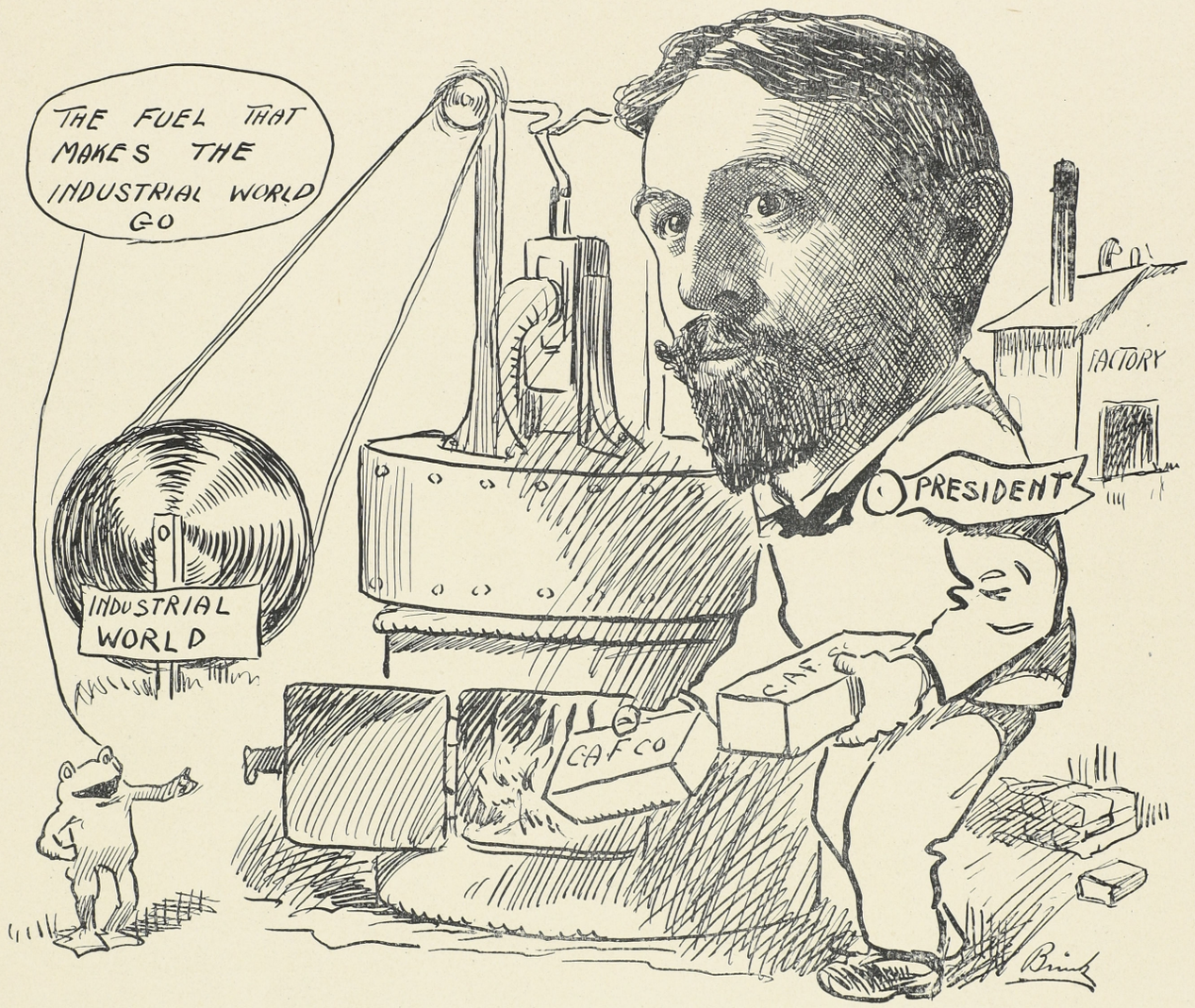

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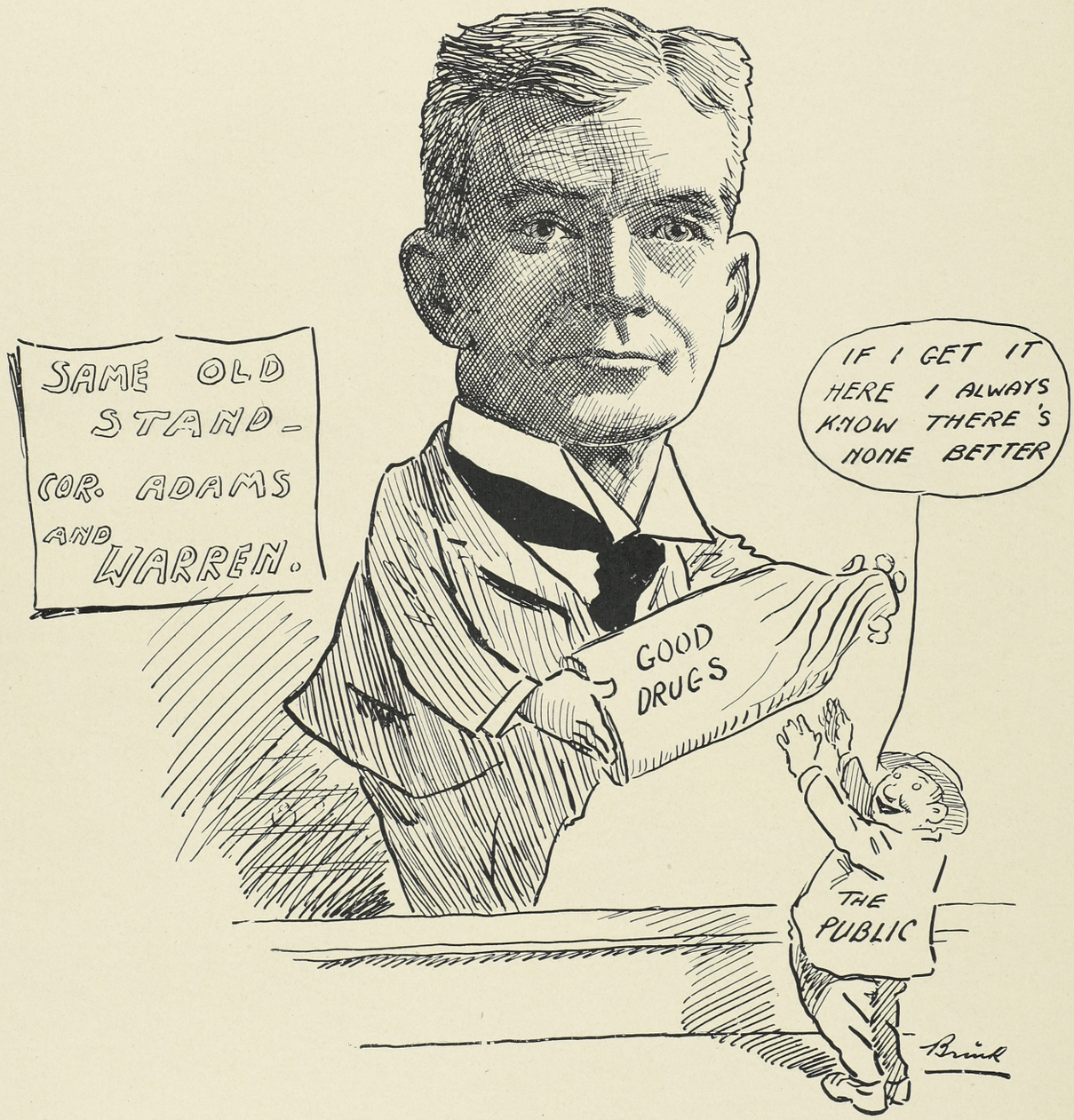

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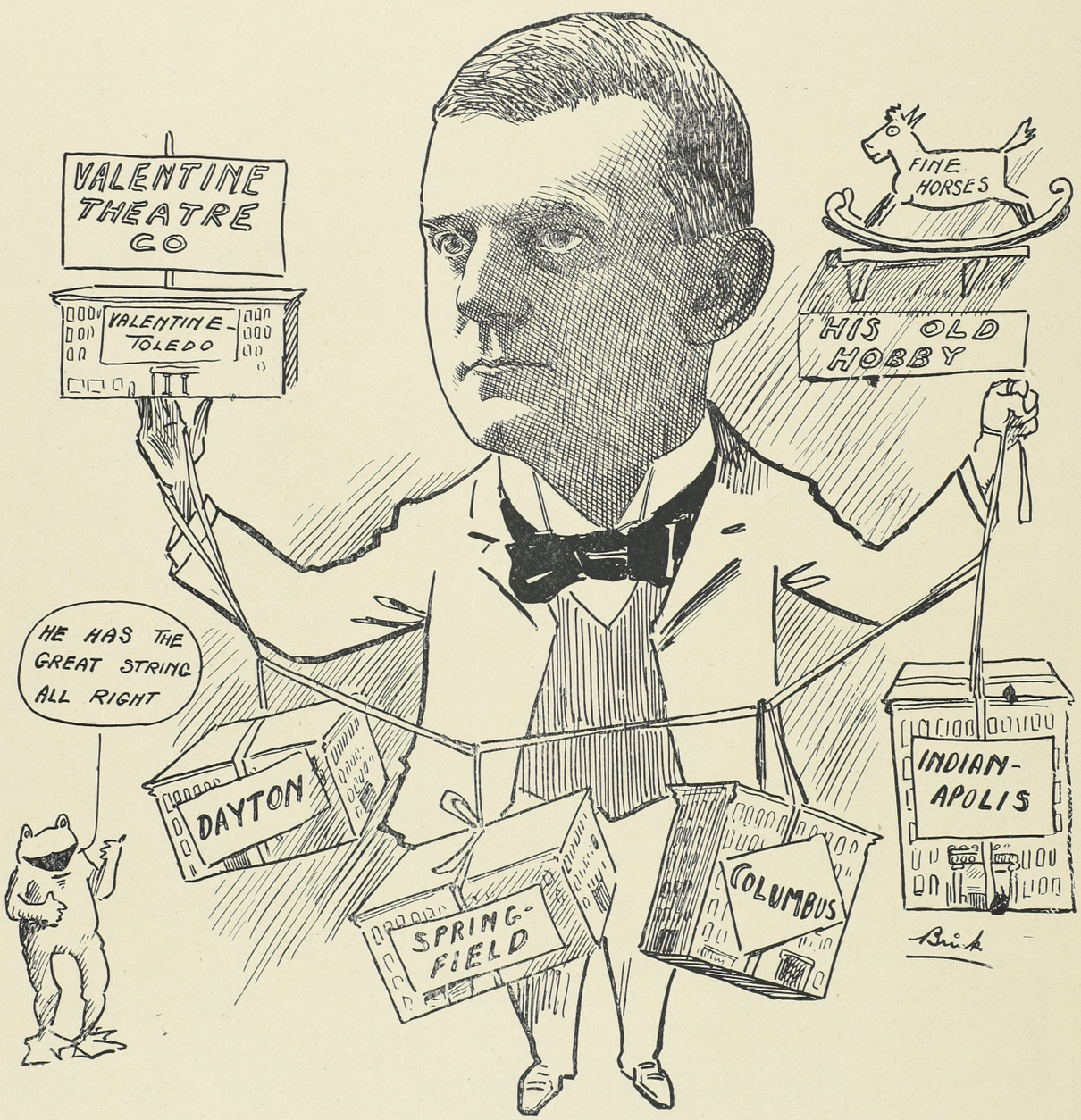

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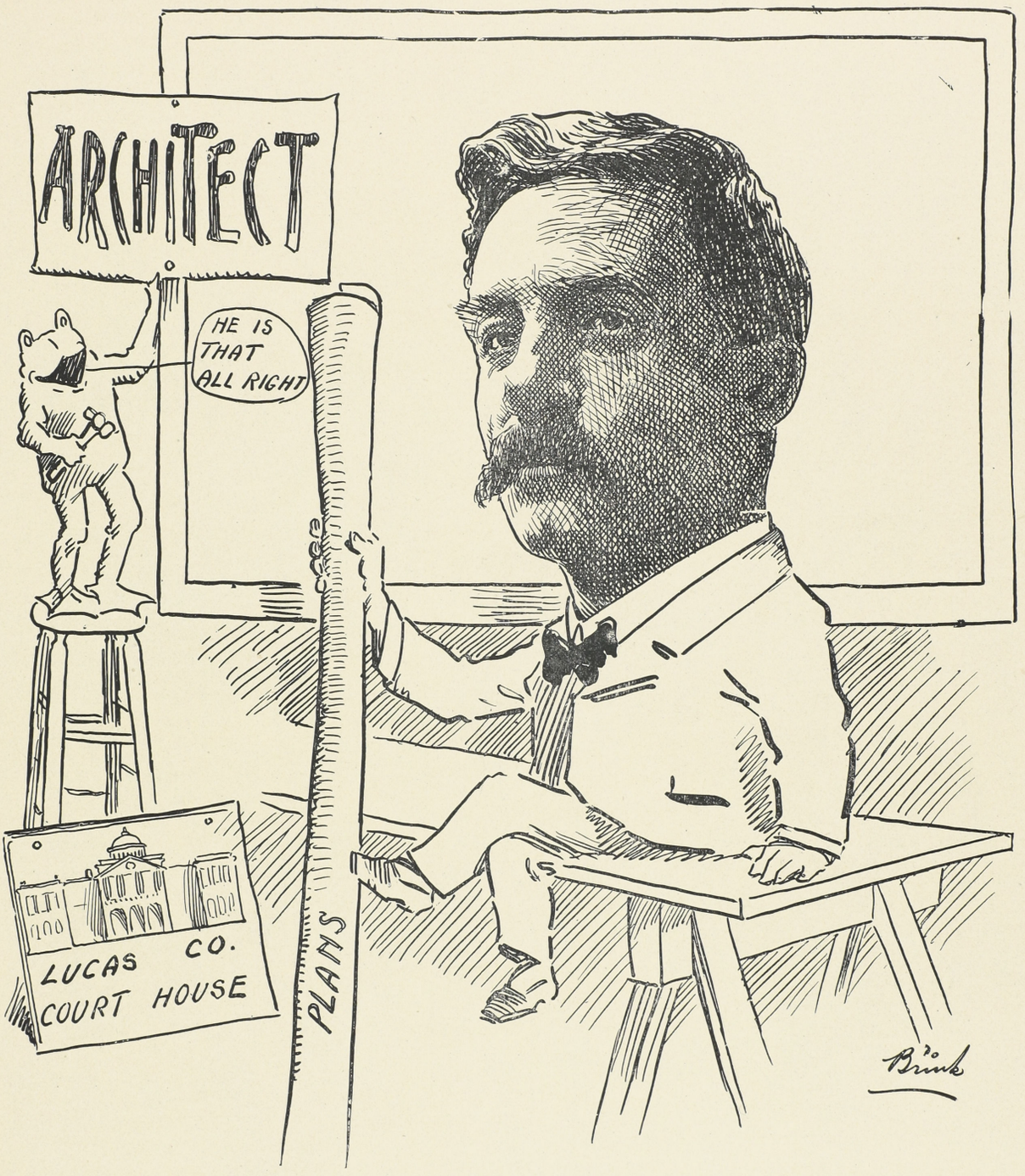

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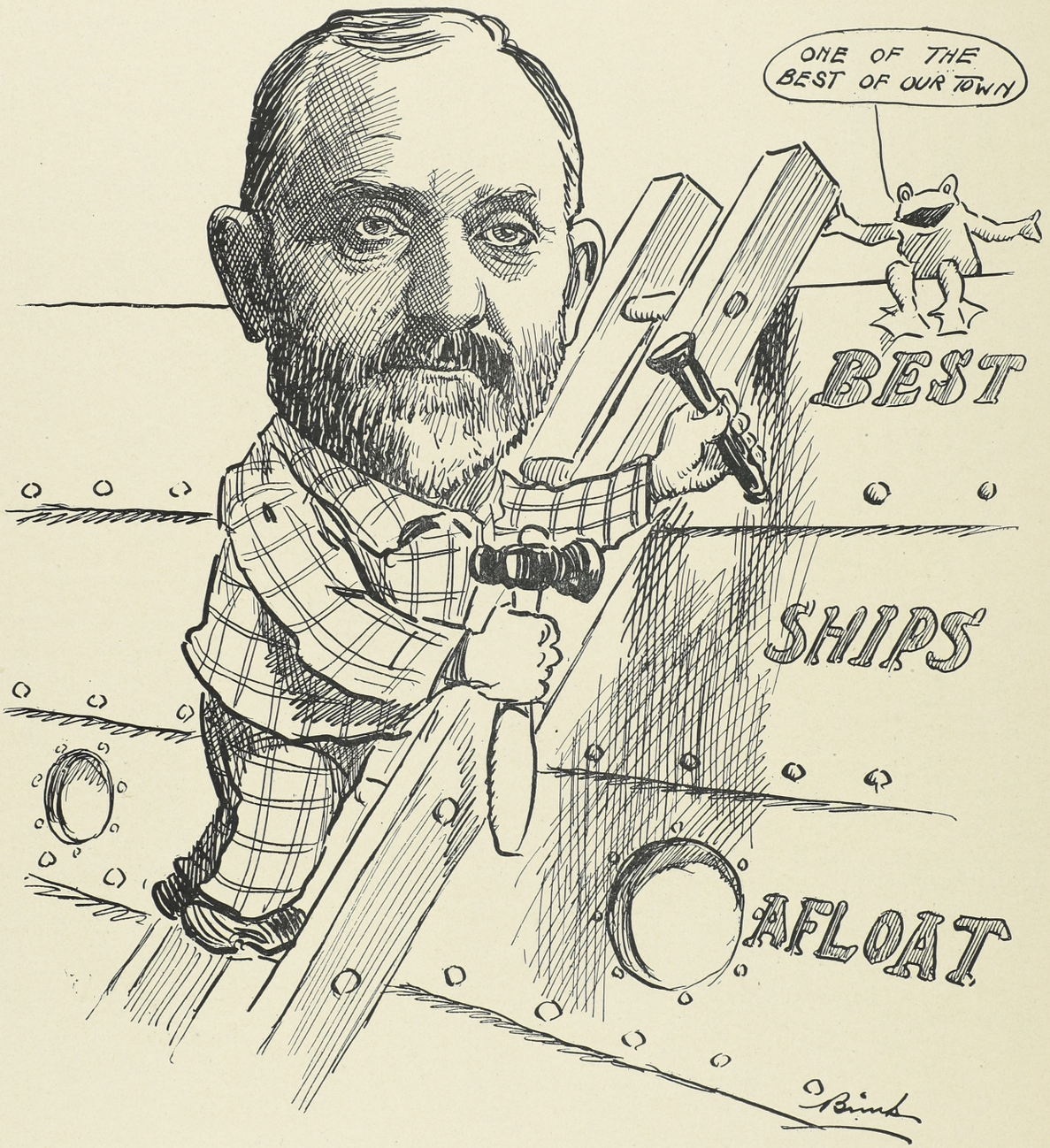

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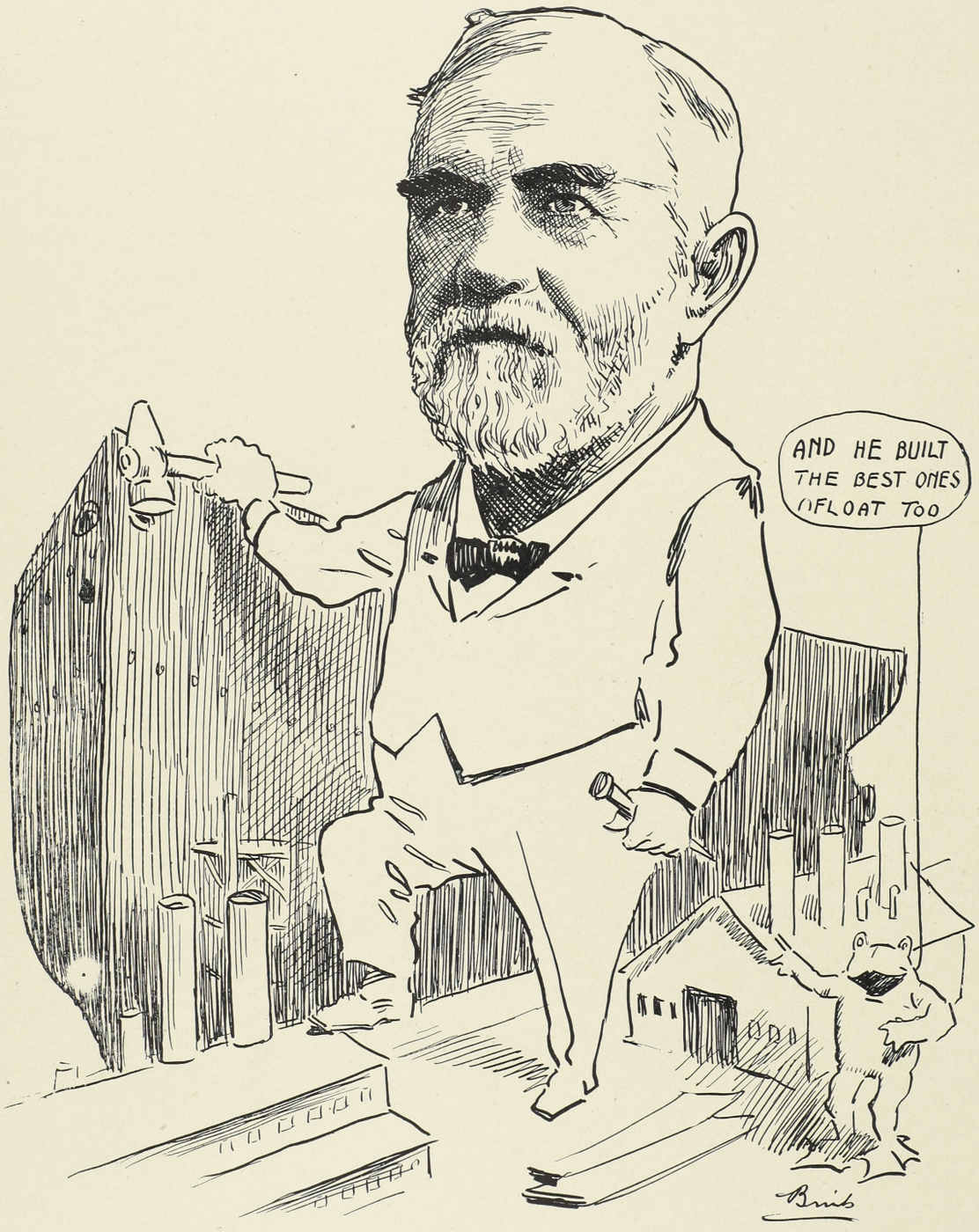

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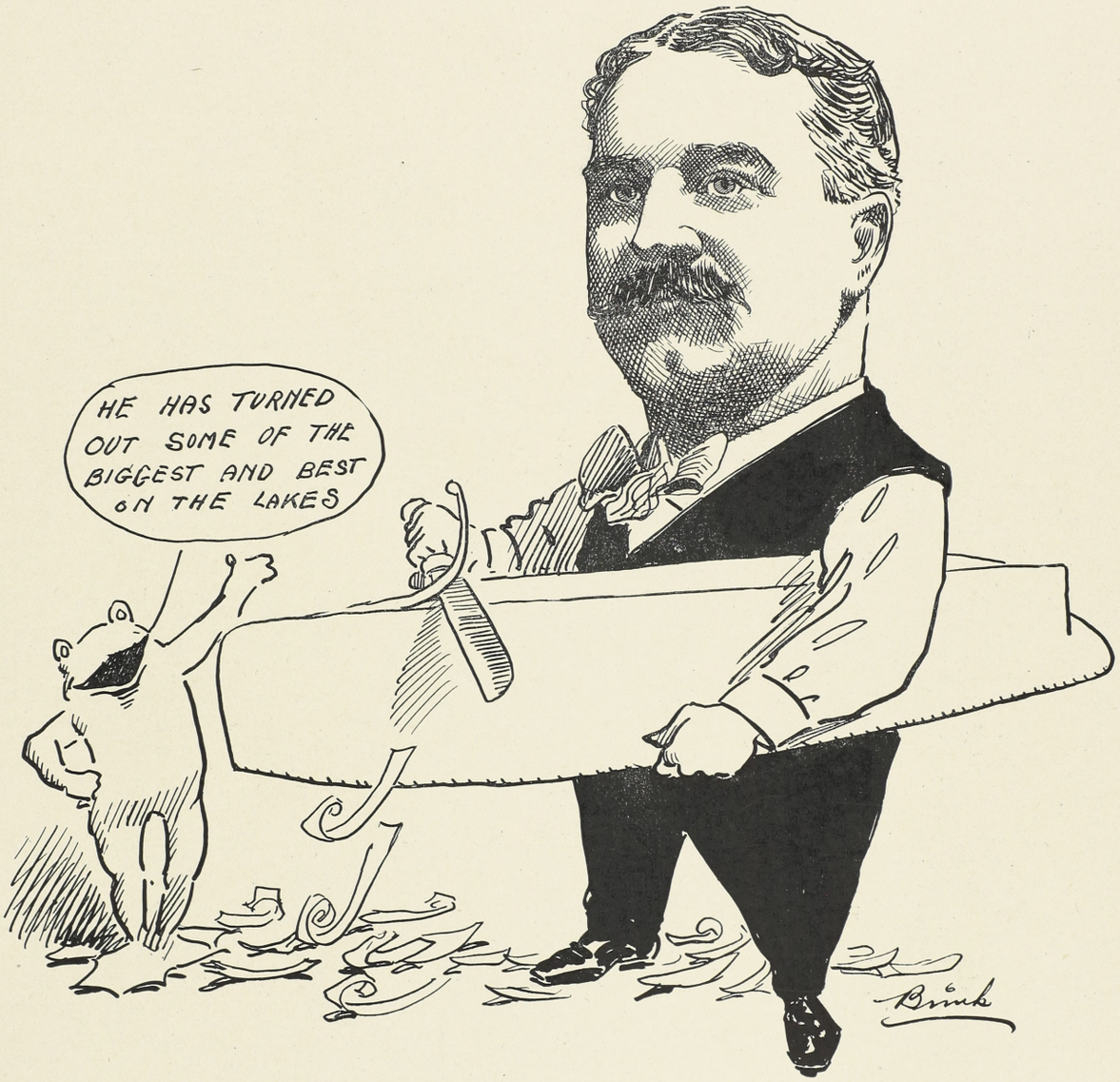

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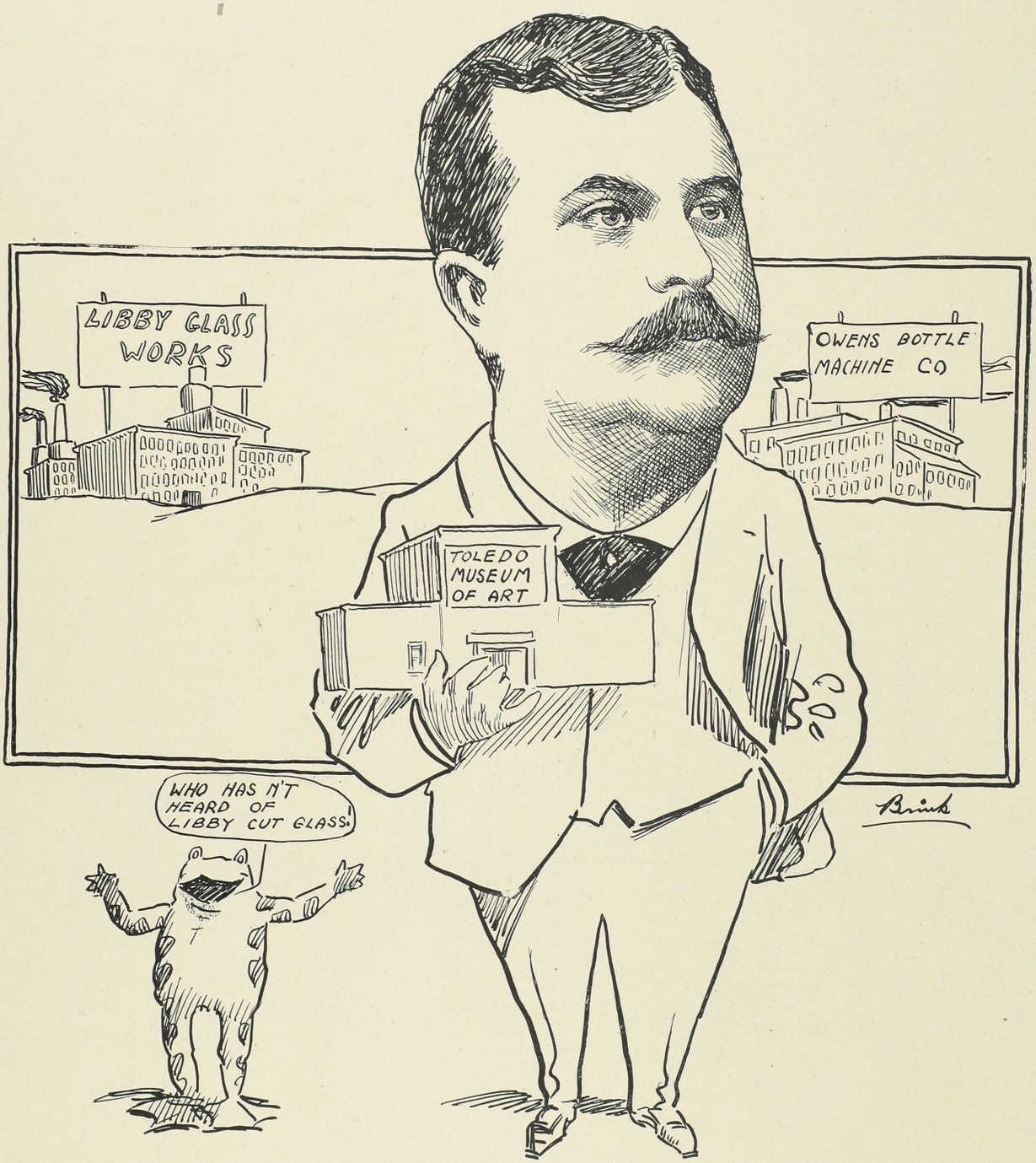

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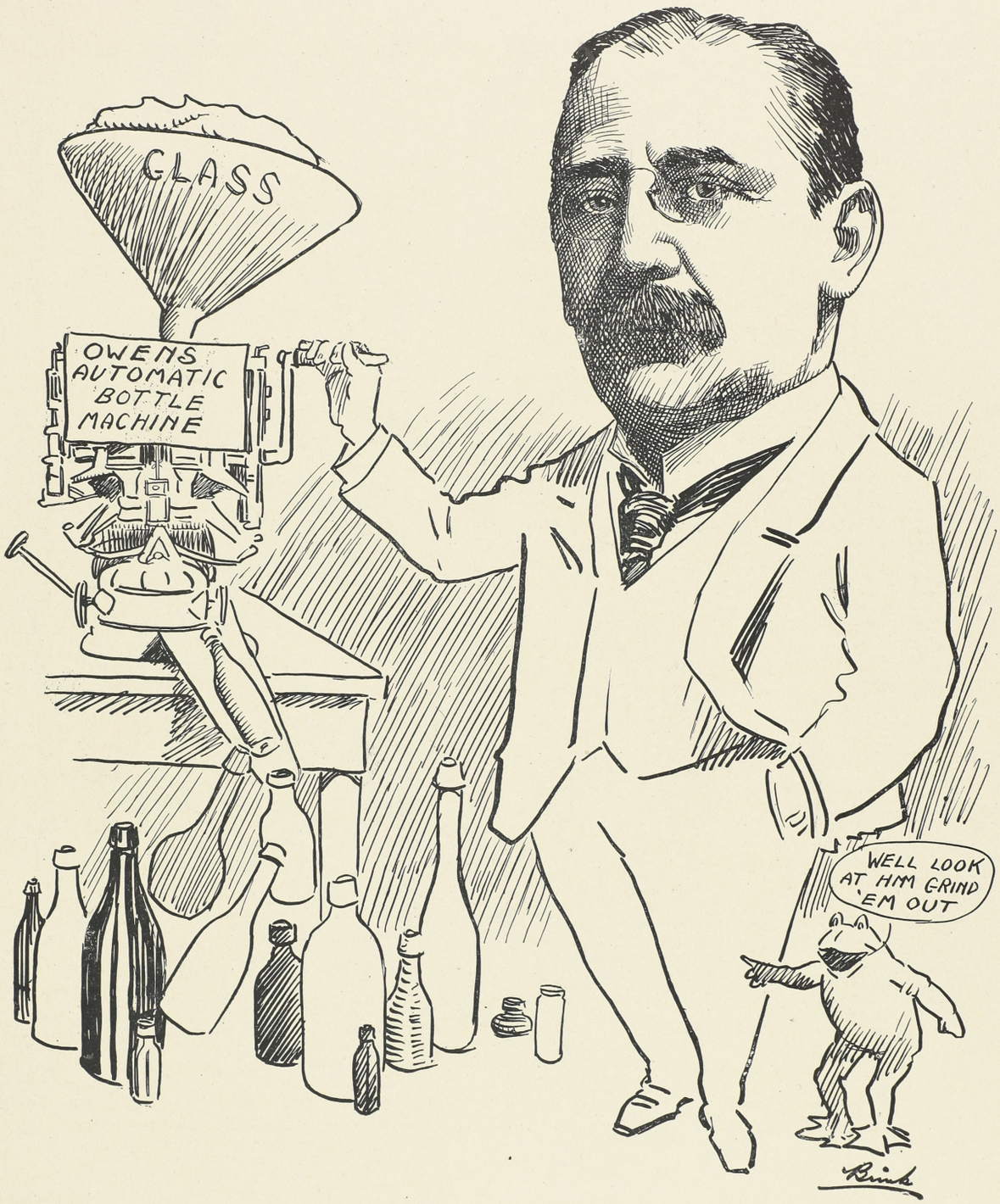

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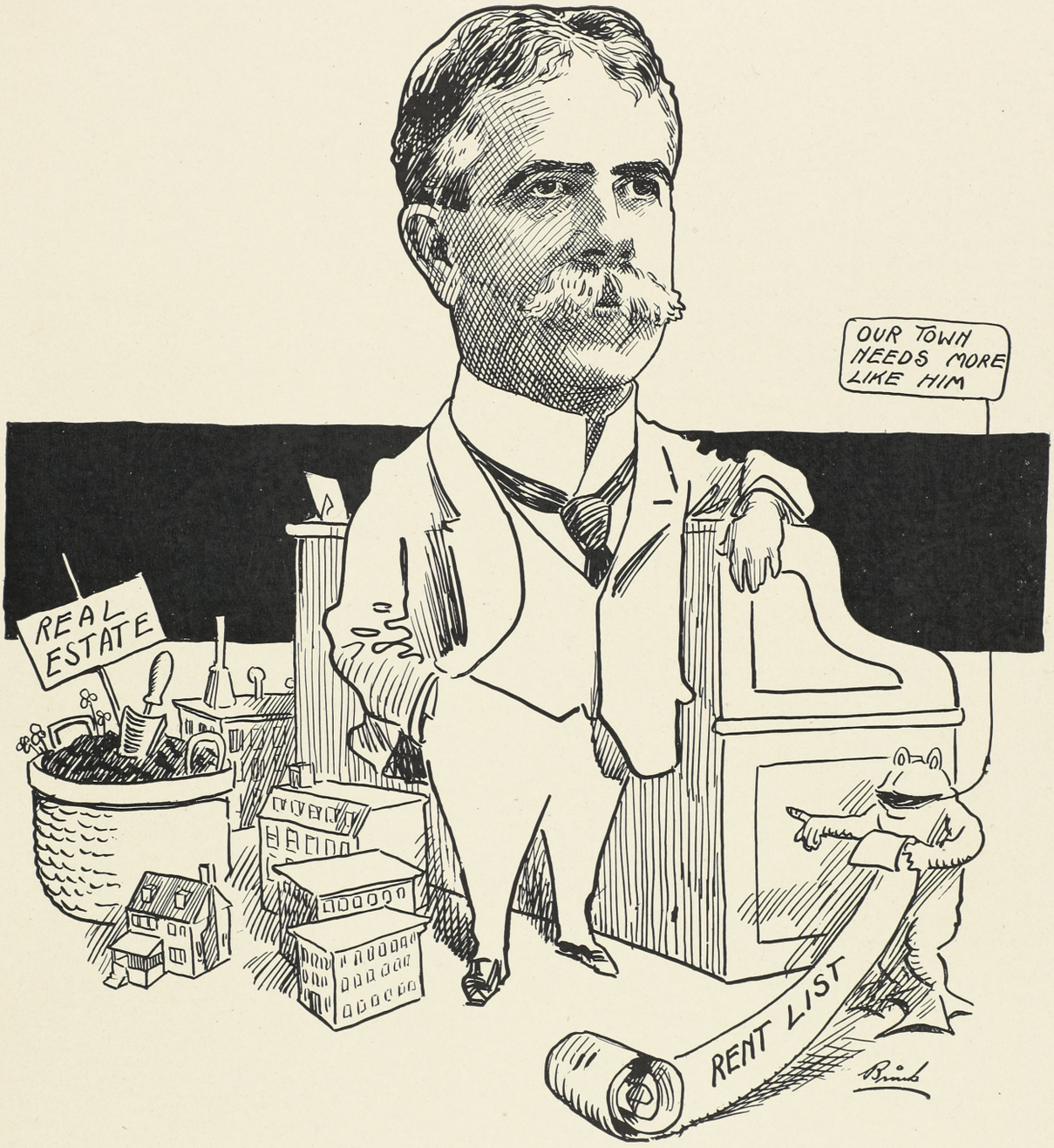

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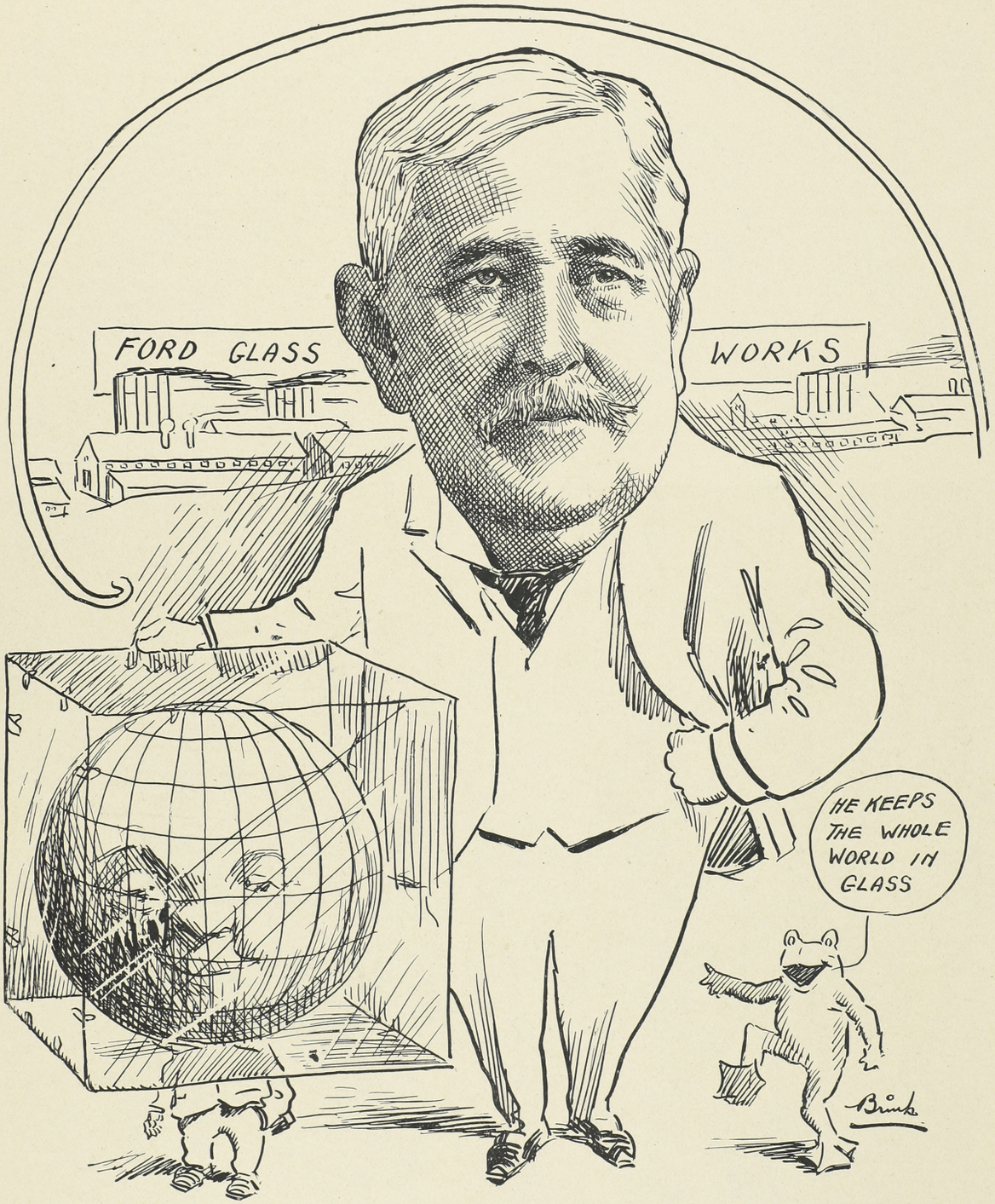

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